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THE CENTRE REPORTER.

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Taxpayers look out that you don't nurse and rear a new gang of swindlers. On our local page we give a fresh sample.

The *Gazette* last week made two statements regarding us that were utterly untrue. We are not ambitious for that kind of journalism.

John L. Sullivan and the President met in the White House yesterday. No arrangements, thus far, have been made for a "friendly set to."

Mr Fairchild took the oath of office as secretary of the treasury, on 1, and at noon took possession of the secretary's office in the treasury building as the successor of Mr. Manning.

From the talk of the *Gazette*, Democrats can plainly see that it is still in league with a half dozen of well-known fishy Democrats, with intent to keep up strife in our party next fall. Democrats watch the game.

Centre county can justly feel proud of her officials—Democrats at that—who have placed us financially at the top of the list of counties where there has been good housekeeping. The REPORTER will always stand by such public servants.

Since the public treasury is no longer cramped for money, and as the agricultural interest is depressed, it would do to start on the way to relieve the farmer by exempting from taxation his milk cows, say not exceeding four or five and two or three horses.

Uncle Sam is a rich old codger, and we are glad to have so rich an uncle.

It is announced that the storage room for silver in the treasury at Washington is running short. The limit of the capacity of the coin vault has been reached. It now contains 2,000 tons of silver and 48 tons of gold. A new vault is to be constructed.

The REPORTER does not fear to have an occasional tilt with the smaller fry of editors such as M'Clure of the *Times*, Smith of the *Press* or even up to Feidler of the *Gazette*, but when it comes to the larger fry, we must decline, and admit at once they have got us and we are not competent to answer their grave questions—they will both excuse and pity us. We can't have a tilt with the larger fry.

Gov. Beaver issued a proclamation today fixing Friday, April 22, as "Arbor day." He calls upon schools and citizens generally to plant trees upon that day. In conclusion this proclamation says: "In case the day herein designated should be unsuitable in any portion of the Commonwealth, let an adjournment be had to some future day, which will suit the climate and convenience of the locality."

Democrats of Centre, do not let the blathering of the Republican *Gazette* lead you astray for a moment. It puts out all kinds of stuff to cause trouble in the Democratic ranks, and we are sorry to say, has a few well known helpers and mischief makers who claim to belong to our party. The *Gazette* has lent itself as the receptacle for any species of falsehoods, and has no regard for decent journalism. Democrats preserve the harmony of your party, an important election is approaching. Look out for the work of traitors who are with the *Gazette*.

Councilmen and aldermen who carried on the business of cities and towns for boodle, have found that justice will overtake even them. Quite a number have gone to the penitentiary, others fled to Canada, and still others are in the clutches of the law for trial.

The trial of the Chicago boodlers will begin next week. In order to get through with the cases as rapidly as possible, both branches of the Crimminal Court will be kept running, and thus two of the accused men will be on trial at the same time till all the cases shall be disposed of.

Centre county farmers are discussing the problem, What to do to make a living on their farms. The wheat crop has been a failure, and with an ordinary crop, the prices are too low to make it pay to raise even wheat. But with poor crops and low prices, a double misfortune stares our farmers in the face Will it pay to raise hay, will it pay better to raise and feed stock, will it be more profitable to raise potatoes, or oats—of course the Bohemian is a swindle?

Well, now is the time to experiment. Let one farmer try one thing, hay; another can try stock feeding; another might try potatoes, and so on—all in a measure, discarding wheat The experiment certainly can not turn out less profitable than wheat raising has for the last few years.

SHERMAN ON THE SOUTH.

Senator John Sherman returned recently from an extended trip through the South. In reply to the question, "Do you find any material change in the prosperity of the South as compared with a decade ago? Mr. Sherman said:

"In Florida I did not. In northern Alabama and eastern and middle Tennesse, yes; decidedly yes. Flordia has no staple products. Her chief dependence is in 'sick Yankees,' as they call the Northern tourists, and her profits come from the sale of oranges. I do not think I can say much else for the State. On the other hand, the coal and iron industries of Alabama and Tennessee are bringing those States to the front All the region thereabouts is developing immensely. The towns and cities remind me greatly of our western country. Immigration is rapidly pouring in and capital is going there in vast volumes."

CHICAGO VOTES THE ANARCHISTS DOWN.

Chicago, April 5.—Roche, the Republican candidate for Mayor, was elected today over Nelson, the Socialistic-Labor candidate, by one of the largest majorities ever given to a candidate for that office in this city. The Democrats had no ticket in the field and mainly went for Roche to put down the anarchists.

The Congress of churches and christians commenced its session at Chicago, on the 1st. Its object is the inauguration of a movement to crush out secret societies. About 500 delegates, mostly men beyond middle age, were present from several states. To-day the stage of the theatre where the congress is in session is set with a scene representing the interior of a lodge.

Prof. H. H. George, of Geneva college was elected president. Mr. Halleck Floyd in a speech, denounced secret societies as inimical to American institutions. He said it was time for the press to take off the muzzle and speak out against masonry and all secret societies.

The *World* speaking upon our exports says the official figures from the Bureau show that the total value of exports of domestic merchandise for the seven months ending Jan. 31st was $449 944,917. This is an increase of $47,000,000 over the corresponding period in 1886. The total value of imports for the same months was $386,785,063—an increase of $32,000,000 over the first seven months of the preceeding year. The excess of exports over imports was $63,000,000 against $48,000,000 in 1886.

It is noticeable that the gain in exports is chiefly in agricultural and natural products. The proportion of manufactured goods to total exports has not increased under the stimulus of a high tariff. The great bulk of our exports is still furnished by the farmers, the class that produces for all and is taxed for all.

The canvas for nominations on the Democratic county ticket will soon open. The offices to be filled are important and the seekers will be many. The REPORTER, as always, urges harmony and a discarding of methods that will create ill feeling between candidates. Let every candidate make up his mind to stand by his pledge to abide by the decision of the convention, like a man and a Democrat. The party has suffered by the opposite course and will suffer again unless every candidate makes up his mind to be true to his pledge. We want to bring the Democracy back to her old fashioned majorities. The Republican organs will print all kinds of stuff to breed quarrels among Democratic candidates and are at it now. Don't believe the stuff.

Advices received from St. Petersburg fully confirm the report that another attempt has been made upon the life of the Czar. It is learned that on Tuesday, while the Czar was exercising in the park connected with the Gatschina Palace, he was fired upon by an officer of the army, the ball passing close to his person. The officer was immediately seized by attendants and imprisoned

At the election in Michigan, on Monday, the prohibition amendment carried by 10,000 majority.

Later dispatches indicate that Prohibition was defeated by 3500.

Joseph Howard, Jr., well known for the past twenty-five years as a brilliant and acceptable writer; is preparing a life of Henry Ward Beecher for publication by Hubbard Brothers. As Howard's father was one of the three founders of Plymouth Church, and his most intimate friend for more than forty years, with a social intercourse at no time interrupted and as Howard himself, by reason of his public life, was brought into frequent contact with Mr. Beecher since his early boyhood, it is obvious that he ought to have and probably has material at hi-hand which is accessible to no other contemporaneous writer. The book is said to be well under way, and will be ready for the market early in May. Mr. Howard, by the way, was the author of the comprehensive and interesting obituary published in the New York Herald, the day after Mr. Beecher's death.

THE PUBLIC LAND QUESTION.

The Patriot says there is a ring of the true metal in the talk of President Cleveland on the land question. He is reported as saying to the Washington correspondent of the New York Herald:

"A railroad corporation should have its legal rights—no more, no less. But the people should have their rights also. When a real settler—I don't mean a mere land speculator, but a farmer who builds his little house and sets about the improvement of the acres on which he has settled—when such a man has legally taken possession of his 160 acres he ought to feel that the government is behind him. He has a right to feel that way, and, so far as the administration is concerned, it is clearly the friend of the people. While as a matter of course the administration will protect the lawful rights of a corporation as well as those of the people, still I think it should be specially jealous of the rights of the farmers and the working classes. I will go even further than that and say that if by any construction of the law a seeming injustice is done to the humblest farmer in the furthest corner of the land, then the law ought to be changed at once."

Already under the Republican party there have been squandered on greedy corporations nearly 300 000,000 acres of the public domain, making over 250,000 square miles, more than the total area all the New England and Middle states and Maryland. Ohio and Indiana combined.

In view of this fact sentiments like those above expressed by the president will be hailed with delight by the people They speak of a policy which will relieve the country from this wholesale robbery which has cursed it in the past.

THE COMMERCE COMMISSION.

The commerce commission is now at work in Washington, and is getting its hands full of protests and requests from all quarters.

BLIZZARD IN MICHIGAN.

The heaviest snow storm of the season accompanied by a northwest wind, has been raging all over the upper Michigan peninsula. From 14 to 18 inches of snow fell and trains in all directions are delayed.

BEATING THE RECORD.

In a shooting match at Clearfield, on the 1st., John Harder, of Clearfield, scored one hundred and seventy-one points out of possible one hundred and eighty. The match was off hand, open sight, one hundred yards. This is the best record ever made in the State.

The heaviest snow storms of the year are reported from points in the North and Northwest.

"SAMANTHA AT SARATOGA."

Miss Marietta Holly, the distinguished humorous author known as "Josiah Allen's Wife," has just finished her new book "Samantha at Saratoga," in the inimitable mirth-provoking style of "Samantha at the Centennial," "Betsey Bobbitt," etc, and has sold the MSS. for a good round sum to Messrs. Hubbard Bros., of Philadelphia, who are employing the best humorous artists in the country to illustrate it, and propose bringing it out this Spring at a popular price by subscription. Miss Holly spent all last season amid the whirl of fashion at Saratoga, and takes off its follies, flirtations, pug dogs, low neck dressing, etc. in a style that is overflowing with richest humor, and must create a great sensation.

Mrs. Cameron Attempts Suicide.

LACROSSE, Wis., April 2.—Mrs. Angus Cameron, wife of ex-United States Senator Cameron, attempted to drown herself in the river here. She was seen by two men wandering toward the river. The men followed her, but she eluded them and plunged into the stream. She was rescued half frozen and was restored to consciousness.

Mrs. Cameron sustained an injury to her spine in a collision on the Brooklyn and New York ferry some years ago, from the effects of which she has never fully recovered. Close watch has been kept of her movements ever since, because she has not been in her right mind.

The Haddock Murder Trial.

SIOUX CITY, Iowa, April 4.—In the Haddock murder trial G. W. Smith swore to his belief that Leavitt fired the shot that killed Haddock. He lived at the Columbia house on the night of the murder, and occupied a room on the second floor looking down upon the scene of the tragedy. He was sitting at the open window, partly undressed. He saw four persons on the street when the shot was fired. "I saw the man who fired the shot," he said. "I know John Arensdorf. I am positive as to that. I have seen Leavitt. From Leavitt's form, motion, etc., I believe he was the man who fired the shot. There was light enough to see them and recognize them."

You May Bet at Monmouth.

TRENTON, April 2.—The bill legalizing pool selling at the Monmouth park races has become a law Gov. Green has filed the bill in the secretary of state's office without his signature. The opponents of the bill will now urge the passage of the repealer that was introduced in the house by Speaker Baird.

The New Orleans Cotton Strike.

NEW ORLEANS, April 2.—The cotton handler's strike, resulting from a quarrel between two labor organizations, continues, but the cotton factors are impatient and will soon hunt up new workmen.

INTERSTATE BOARD AT WORK

The Commission Listens to the Woes of Southern Transportation Lines.

WASHINGTON, April 4.—The interstate commerce commission has begun active work and a hearing has been granted to ex-Gov. Rufus B. Bullock, Dr. R. D. Spaulding and Mr. S. F. Woodson, a committee appointed by the Atlanta chamber of commerce to co-operate with the Southern Railway and Steamship association in seeking such liberal interpretation or modification of the operation of the interstate commerce act as may be deemed necessary for the protection of the manufacturing and commercial interests of the south. Gov. Bullock read a paper or petition asking the commission to pass an order on or before April 5 to the effect that the schedule of rates in the territory south of the Potomac and Ohio and east of the Mississippi rivers, so far as these rates relate to interstate commerce, be declared of force until the further order of the commission, and that reasonable time be given for a further hearing and revision before any changes are put in force. They submitted a schedule of rates of the southern railway and steamship association and a comparative statement showing the great increase which will occur in rates to the principal points if the railways put in force the rate they now understand the new law will require.

The chairman of the commission, Judge Cooley, remarked interrogatively that he understood the application to be, in part at least, in support of the application which had been made by the railroad companies for permission to charge less for long than for short hauls. Gov. Bullock responded affirmatively.

"At present, then, the railroads are charging less for a longer than for a shorter distance," said Judge Cooley.

Gov. Bullock said this was the case where it was necessary to meet the circumstances of water transportation. The railroads, he added, had informed them that unless they made their rates at once they would be liable to penalties under the law. Contracts had been made by merchants for the delivery three months hence, based upon the rates which prevailed at the time. Now, to suddenly raise these rates would prove disastrous. The whole proceeding was an informality, the hearing having been granted at this time as a favor to gentlemen who had come from a distance to present their case. No formal consideration of this question or any other will be undertaken before the 5th instant, on which date the law goes into effect.

Parson Down's Salary.

BOSTON, April 4—It really looks as if the Bowdoin-Square Baptist church would have to pay the salary of Pastor Downs, at least up to the time when the church was finally closed in December, 1885. There was another hearing in chambers, on exceptions filed by the defendant church. Gen. Butler, as usual, appeared for Downs, and Judge Aldrich ruled that the charge of immorality could not be entertained now, as the church had not adhered to the laws of the Baptist denomination, which called for a trial of the pastor at the time. The judge advised Downs to amend his papers so as to sue for his salary to Dec. 10, when the church was closed, and said that in that case he must decide that he was entitled to recover at the rate of $3,000 a year, his regular salary. Gen. Butler will at once revise his papers in accordance with this advice, and then a new suit will be brought to recover salary to date.

Preparing to Thwart the Boomers.

WASHINGTON, April 3.—The secretary of the interior has requested the secretary of war to place the western portion of the Indian territory, including Oklahoma, under the jurisdiction and control of a single army officer, with instructions to exercise extreme vigilance in the matter of preventing an expected invasion of the territory by boomers during the coming spring and summer.

Suspected of Wholesale Poisoning.

AURORA, Ill., April 2.—The stomach and liver of Mrs. Arthur Terry, who died in June, were found to contain large quantities of arsenic. Her husband, who recently married a woman of bad reputation in Chicago, is strongly suspected of having poisoned the first wife, and on four occasions since of having attempted to poison his father and mother and two children. He has been arrested in New Orleans.

Guests Turned Out by Fire.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 4.—The Hotel del Monte at Monterey, Cal., was burned on Friday night. It was a pleasure resort maintained by the Southern Pacific railroad. The guests, 300 in number, escaped but lost all their baggage. They were brought to this city and are quartered at the various hotels. Many of the guests were only half clad, and have been provided with clothing.

Fire in the Cedar Brakes.

MORGAN, Texas, April 4.—News has reached here of a very destructive fire in the Cedar brakes, on the Brazos River, ten miles east of here. The fire started at the mouth of Laing's creek and destroyed all the timber on the Midland and Chosine Leagues. Several houses have been burned. The damage already amounts to $400,000, and the flames are still raging.

He Wished to be Patti's Spirit Page.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 2.—At the trial of Dr. James Hodges, who exploded a bomb in the Grand Opera house here, on February 9, during a Patti concert, Hodges testified that he intended to end his life while Patti was singing, so that he could be her page in the spirit land. The jury found him guilty of assault with intent to commit murder.

Wrecked on the Pacific Coast.

PORTLAND, Ore., April 4.—A despatch to the *Oregonian* from Settle, W. T., says: "The Pacific coast steamer Mexico, plying between San Francisco and Puget Sound, has been wrecked four miles south of Plumper's Pass, Vancouver Island. All were saved. The loss on the vessel is $150,000. The loss on the cargo is not yet known."

Not of the Fur Gang.

CLEVELAND, Ohio, April 3.—Chief Schmidt of the Cleveland police force, says he has received a photograph from Atlanta, Ga., of the burglar confined in the state, and that he is not one of the fur thieves. The police officials here do not believe that the fur gang is in Georgia.

SENT TO THE MONASTERY.

Dr. Curran Has Been Disciplined for His Sympathy With Dr. McGlynn.

NEW YORK, April 2.—At Archbishop Corrigan's residence it was said that the report was true that the Rev. Dr. James Curran, formerly of St. Stephen's church, had been directed to retire to the Hoboken monastery for ten days to do penace because he appeared upon the platform at the Academy of Music on Tuesday evening last when Dr. McGlynn spoke. Dr. Curran's ecclesiastical superior was displeased with his action in appearing with Dr. McGlynn at Jones's wood on St. Patrick's Day, and it was by way of discipline that he was sent to Ellenville, Ulster county. His appearing with Dr. McGlynn at the Academy has brought down upon him the order into retreat at Hoboken. His penance will consist of ten days of strict seclusion, during which he will observe fasts and perform erligious exercises. There was a large assemblage in the meeting hall of St. Stephen's parishoners in East Twenty-seventh street. John J. Bealin, of the Knights of Labor was one of the speakers. He said:

It is true Dr. Curran has been sent into exile. [Cries of "Shame!"] It is true, too, that it was done not for didcipline, but as a matter of spite on the part of the Archbishop. Corrigan would sell a man as Judas Iscariot did Christ. The archbishop regretted this step, however, because it showed his injustice, and wished afterward that he had not taken it. Many may point to Dr. Curran's obedience to the orders and say: 'There is a dutiful priest. Why did not Father McGlynn do the same and go to Rome?" But the answer is that Father Curran simply obeyed the orders to show the injustice of them. The archbishop threatens to excommunicate the whole lot of you. What do you think of that? [Hisses, cries of "Shame!" and "Let him!"] I guess you are not afraid. I'll tell you what to do. Shut down your purses tighter than ever. Don't let a person put a single cent on the plate on Easter Sunday. And if any one does—[loud cries of "Boycott!"]—yes, boycott him. [Cheers.] If anybody has the power of hurting Dr. McGlynn and his friends, you have the power of hurting them.

Dr. Carey and others spoke to the same effect.

TO SUCCEED JUDGE COOLEY

Judge Gresham Considering the Appointment of a Wabash Receiver.

CHICAGO, April 2.—The question of appointing a successor to Judge Cooley as receiver of the Wabash lines east of the Mississippi, is now engaging Judge Gresham's attention. The lines west of the river were turned over to the Gould purchasing committee, under the order of the federal court at St. Louis to-day. Judge Gresham said that he had delayed the appointment in the hope that the way was now perhaps open for a settlement of the whole question. At any rate, the appointment would be delayed pending a meeting between General Swayne, for the purchasing committee and representatives of the various bondholders which would take place to-day. If no arrangement was effected it would then be in order to appoint a receiver satisfactory to all parties.

Receiver Cooley filed a petition with Judge Gresham setting out that it would be necessary, in order to keep the lines in a safe condition for fast trains, to lay during the present year at least 4,000 tons of new steel rails. By selling old rails it would be possible to make the needed improvements for something like $80,000. Judge Gresham entered an order allowing the receiver to expend not more than $80,000 for new rails.

His Mother Wanted Him to Hang.

HARRISBURG, Pa., April 2.—The board of pardons has commuted the death sentence of Wm. Busch, the Elk county murderer, to imprisonment for life. Busch killed his brother Philip, and was to have been hanged on Thursday. The Busch family live in Ridgeway, and have been identified with many crimes. From the evidence submitted to the pardon board, it is learned that the murdered man, Philip Busch, was too intimate with members of his own family, which led to a quarrel, and William shot and killed Philip. The murderer a few weeks ago escaped from jail, but was captured. A singular feature of the case is that the mother desires to see her son hanged, and has been making preparations to attend the execution.

An Anarchist's Wife Gets a Divorce.

EAU CLAIRE, Wis., April 2.—Alderman Charles L. James, of Eau Claire, the noted anarchist and son of the English author, G. P. R. James, was sued for divorce and a decree has been granted on the ground of failure to support and inhuman treatment. Mrs. James testified that her anarchist husband had threatened her with a butcher knife, called her foul names, locked her in a barn on a winter night, and generally ill-treated and terrified her. The defendant made no appearance in court. Mrs. James gets the custody of her children and a house and lot.

A Fight With Cowboys.

OMAHA, April 4.—Sheriff Penn of Broken Bow has been called to Anselmo, which had been captured by cowboys. The cowboys shooting right and left, and had killed one man. The sheriff responded, and in attempting to arrest the ringleaders shot two of them dead, he himself being uninjured. More trouble is expected, as the cowboys are in full force and swearing vengeance. The latest reports said that deputies are being hurried to the scene, and it is expected a desperate battle will ensue upon their arrival.

Capital Seeking Investment in Virginia.

PITTSBURG, April 3.—Moses Joly, Jr., representing a New York and Boston syndicate, has purchased a site in this city, on the river, where works of different kinds are to be located, and in which the syndicate will invest over $100,000. The same syndicate is negotiating for the purchase of the upper Appomatox Canal property. If a clear title can be given to the same it will be bought, and over $1,000,000 expended in the erection of mills, etc.

"Clutch" Donohue Wins.

WELLAND, Ontario, April 2.—The third trial of the United States Express company against "Clutch" Donohue, who is serving a seven-year term for burglaries committed in Canada, has been decided in Donohue's favor. The express company have tried three times to get from "Clutch" his Queen's hotel property at Fort Erie, which, they allege, he purchased with the proceeds of the robbery of their safe at Susquehanna, Penn., but without success.

NEWS OF THE WEEK.

Col. Robert G. Ingersoll became a member of the New York bar.

Twenty-nine of Chicago's indicted boodlers have been arrested.

Graham, the English shot, beat Brewer, killing 89 birds to the latter's 87.

The revenue returns of Great Britain for 1886-07 show an increase of £1,191,457.

The Stewart art sale brought in $581,933, $300,000 less than the late Morgan sale.

Lewis Stewart was hanged at Laurens, S. C., for the murder of his wife in 1883.

A heavy snow storm accompanied with thunder and lightning prevailed in Virginia.

The steel sloop Titania and the cutter Bedouin will sail a race for a pint of gold dollars.

The jury in the Shea manslaughter case in Greenfield, Mass., returned a verdict of not guilty.

Capt. Colt and the officers of the Dauntless were banquetted by the Royal Cork Yacht club.

The democrats of Bayonne have nominated Master Workman Michael O'Connor for recorder.

Yacht wreckage marked with the letters "M. P." is coming ashore at Lynn Haven bay, Virginia.

Cholera on the west coast of South America is confined to Chili, and there are only a few cases.

The Portland (Me.) *Transcript* celebrated its 50th anniversary by giving a banquet to employees and friends,

President Garrett has issued a circular requesting the return of all inter-state passes on the Baltimore and Ohio railroad.

Mme. Pauline L'Allemand of the National Opera company has set her father up in business in Syracuse where her family live.

Recorder Smyth, of New York, refused to quash the indictment for forgery against William Kissane until his identity was revealed.

The Boston police are having a desperate struggle with the tiger. They complain of the strength of his jaws and the length of his claws.

Policeman Gallagher, of Buffalo, defeated Policeman Quigley, of New York, in a wrestling match at Buffalo for the Fox Police medal.

The improvements in the the Tensas river, La., have enabled steamers to ascend a higher point than they had reached for thirty years.

It is said that the government of Ontario will introduce a resolution in the legislature expressing sympathy with the Irish home rulers.

Charles Clark, a clerk in the registry department of the New York post office has been taken into custody for stealing a package containing $10,000.

A Spanish dollar has been found near Nyack on the Hudson, and the people of that neighborhood are dreaming of boatloads of Spanish treasure.

The burglars who rescued their companion on an Ohio railroad, after shooting two Cleveland policemen who had him in charge, have been captured in Georgia.

H. H. Hunnewell, a wealthy citizen of Wellesley, Mass., has presented the town with a fine hall and a park of ten acres, and a public library with 6,000 volumes.

A French commercial traveller went to bed in London eight days ago full of 'alf and 'alf, and has been asleep ever since. All efforts to awaken him have failed.

Dr. Curran is neither fasting nor silent at the Hoboken monastery and declares he has no reason to become a penitent on account of his friendship for Dr. McGlynn.

The Texas rangers are having lively times with the timber thieves. A party, accompanied by bloodhounds has left San Augustine for the scene of the disturbance.

Miss Ida Wade, stewardess of the ship Canaro, lying at Brooklyn, was found dying in her stateroom with a bullet in her brain. Her husband was arrested on suspicion.

Mme. Fursch-Madi attached the receipts of the performance of "Nero" by the National opera company for $7,200 salary due her. The debt was paid and the attachment vacated.

Governor Hill, of New York, has named William A. Armstrong and John E. Buckbee for railroad commissioners. The former is a republican, the latter a Knight of Labor and mugwomp.

Two more bodies have been taken from the ruins of the Richmond hotel at Buffalo. They are believed to be the remains of Clerk Osborne and R. S. Boyd, the Bell telephone agent.

Mrs. Weltha A. Emmons, the young, pretty but eccentric wife of Professor Emmons of the geological survey, has returned from Europe to defend a rumored action for divorce.

Dr. James Hodges, who was convicted of exploding a bomb in the Grand Opera house in San Francisco on February 9, at a Patti concert, was sentenced to two years' imprisonment in San Quentin.

F. W. Foster, ex-town treasurer of Greenville, Mass., who was recently convicted of embezzling $14,000 of the town's funds, was sentenced to five years at hard labor in the house of correction.

Capt. Abbey has been summoned to appear before the admiralty court at Boston to answer for seizing arms, ammunition, and other property from the schooner Sierra, while he was in command of the Corwin off Onaloska last summer.

Charles O'Rourk, an ex-cowboy, has been arrested at Suspension Bridge and brought to Utica, on suspicion of being the man who shot Messenger Leake and robbed the express car on the West Shore road last Thursday night.

Harry Wilkes trotted a mile in San Francisco in 2.13¼, beating his record by one and a quarter seconds. Sire Brothers, part owners, immediately gave Van Ness, his driver, $3,000 for his interest, making the price they have paid for him twenty-five thousand dollars.

Death of John Godfrey Saxe.

ALBANY, N. Y., April 2.—John Godfrey Saxe, the poet, died here. He had suffered from dementia for a long time, but his death was unexpected. The burial will be in Greenwood cemetery, Brooklyn. Mr. Saxe died at the residence of his only son, Mr. Charles Saxe, a well-known Albany lumber merchant on State street. He had been practically a recluse for the past ten years, the many family bereavements which he suffered undermining his reason to some degree.

Mr. Saxe was born in Highgate, Franklin county, Vt., June 2, 1816. He graduated at Middlebury college and was admitted to the bar. From 1850 to 1856 he was editor and proprietor of the Burlington *Sentinel* and in 1856 was state attorney. In 1859 and 1860 he was the democratic candidate for governor of Vermont. He was a facile writer of humerous and satirical poetry, which gained great popularity and made his name familiar throughout the country. Of the first edition of his collected poems more than forty editions were printed. He removed many years ago from Vermont to Brooklyn where he lived until his health broke down and his mind gave way.

NEWS OF THE WEEK

—At Mount Vernon, Kentucky, on the evening of the 28th, William Levisey, aged 14 years, was stabbed through the heart by William Vowals, aged 10. The murderer had some boyish grudge against his victim. In a quarrel in a gambling hell in Boston on the 28th, David Lanahan was shot dead and Edward Flanagan mortally wounded by Adolph A. Albrecht. The three men were alone in the room, playing faro, and the quarrel arose over the game. Albrecht, who is a druggist, claims that he acted in self-defence, but several circumstances are against his story. His victims were proprietors of the place.

—The Sanderson Steel Works, in Geddes, a suburb of Syracuse, New York, were destroyed by fire early on the morning of the 28th. The buildings covered two acres of ground, and the loss is estimated at $220,000. The works were owned by English capitalists, being a branch of the Sanderson Works, in Sheffield, England, and they will be rebuilt at once. A fire in Memphis, Tennessee, early on the morning of the 28th, destroyed I. Besthoff & Co.'s furniture store, Ullathorne & Co.'s seed store, William Quinn's boarding house and saloon, and James Currey's Tivoli Garden. The loss aggregates $65,000: insurance, $21,000. The Sargent Paint Company's building in St. Louis was burned on the afternoon of the 28th. Loss, $40,000; insured. The leather manufactory and storehouse of John Maxwell & Co., at North Winchester, Massachusetts, were burned on the evening of the 28th. Loss, $100,000.

—There was a general and heavy snow and wind storm throughout the Northwest on the 26th and 27th. Trains on many railroads were delayed, and in Des Moines the streets were blocked by snow.

—No further light has been thrown upon the mystery of the murder at Rahway, New Jersey. A well dressed woman called at the Prince Street Station in New York, on the 25th, and said she believed the victim was her daughter, because of the description of the murdered girl's teeth, hair, clothing, and a piece of jewelry found near her, which corresponded to that of her daughter, whom she last saw six weeks ago. Her daughter ran away from home two years ago and wedded a man who afterward she learned had been married before. The girl never told where she lived. Her daughter, the woman said, had threatened to leave her husband, and he had threanened to kill her if she did. The woman would give no name, but said she would go to Rahway on the 29th. The Chief of Police of Rahway, said on the 28th, that "every clew he had worked upon thus far proved to be false." A constable from Crawford arrived in Rahway later and was closeted with the Chief. He claimed to have information indicating that the murderer was a young man living in Rahway.

—There are now 31 oleomargarine factories in the United States. All of them are in the Western States, 11 being in the city of Chicago. There are 3537 retail dealers in oleomargarine in the United States who paid special taxes as such in the months of November and December, 1886, and January and February, 1887. The number of wholesale dealers is 266. The quantity of oleomargarine manufactured and removed for consumption or sale, at 2 cents per pound during the months of November and December, 1886, and January and February, 1887, was 12,645,740 pounds, and the quantity exported from the United States during the same period was 152,797 pounds. The figures are taken from a statemont prepared in the Internal Revenue Bureau.

—Two cars of a train on the Iron Mountain Railroad were thrown from the track by a broken rail and capsized at Hillard, Missouri, on the 28th. Several passengers were seriously injured and a child in its mother's arms was killed. Two freight trains on the Canadian Pacific Railroad ran into each other at Franktown on the morning of the 27th and both were wrecked. The loss to the company is $100,000.

—It is announced that the Jersey Central Railroad has made a contract with the Clearfield Coal Company for handling its coal. This will involve the building of a new dock at Communipaw that will cost about $500,000, the contracts for which have already been given.

—The iron manufacturers of Pittsburg are quoted as saying that the card rate of iron "will hardly go any higher than it is at present, as representatives of Swedish and English iron firms have recently invaded Pittsburg and are making desperate efforts to place orders for foreign iron." It is reported that the iron business is not as good as it was a few weeks ago. Pig iron has declined fifty cents a ton during the past month and muck bar $1 50.

—A fight took place between cowboys and shepherds near Grant's Station, Arizona, a few days ago, in which one of the herders was killed and three other herders and a cowboy were wounded. One of the wounded has since died. Ephraim Schlogerman, a peddler, was shot and dangerously wounded near Ephrata, Penna., on the 28th, by Charles Barnhart, a cigar maker. Barnhart and several companions were annoying Schlogerman, and when the latter started to run away the scoundrel shot him in the back. Benjamin Mobbs was found hanging in his room in Hazen, Arkansas, on the 26th, and it was thought he had committed suicide. It now turns out that he was strung up until dead, and robbed. The murderers are not known.

—A telegram from Defiance, Ohio, says that a few nights ago the Cecil aqueduct on the canal was blown open. The next night armed men drove away the guards who were watching the reservoir and blew out the banks in two places, and finally dynamite was used to destroy the locks. It will take half the summer to repair the damage already done. A strong effort was recently made to induce the Legislature to vacate the canal at that point.

—The dwelling of Matthew Massick, at Ludlowville, New York, was burned on the morning of the 29th, and three children perished in the flames. The Caswell building, in Troy, New York, occupied by Fessenden, Lambert and Tower, dry goods dealers, and other firms, was destroyed by fire, on the 29th. The Fulton street front of the Boardman building was damaged. The total loss is estimated at $130,000, which is covered by insurance. The firemen say the flames in the Caswell building burst out in several places at once. The West Point Cotton Mills, near West Point, Georgia, were burned on the 28th, with a grist mill adjoining. The picker room and warehouse, with 2000 bales of cotton, were saved. The loss is probably covered by an insurance of $200,000. A fire in Columbus, Georgia, on the morning of the 29th, destroyed the shoe store of W. R. Bedell and the clothing store of J. K. Harris & Co. Loss, $29,000; insurance, $17,000.

—There was a hard frost, with ice, in the districts around Norfolk and Danville, Virginia, on the night of the 28th. It is feared that much damage has been done to early fruits and vegetables. A terrible storm of hail and wind visited Ackworth, Ga., on the 28th. Two dwellings were demolished.

—A telegram from New Brunswick, New Jersey, says the Pennsylvania Railroad has been running local passenger traffic between that city and Jersey City for the past few days in cars heated by steam from the locomotive, and it has been found feasible, to heat a limited number of cars by this means and maintain a sufficiently high temperature.

—The First National Bank of Pittsburg, Penna., was on the 29th authorized to begin business with a capital of $100,000.

—Dr. Edward McGlynn lectured in the New York Academy of Music on the evening of the 29th on "The Cross of the New Crusade." The building was packed with his admirers, and his reception was so enthusiastic that he was moved to tears." During his speech "he reiterated his faith in the Henry George idea of land, and declared he would teach it at all hazards, any ecclesiastical authority to the contrary notwithstanding.

—According to a telegram from Quebec, the snow blockade on the Intercolonial Railway is "unprecedented," and all travel on the road is stopped. There is also a snow blockade on the Canadian Pacific Railway.

—An explosion of gas occurred on the 30th ult., in the Von Storck mine at Scranton, Pennsylvania, by which fire boss Lewis and two miners, named Thomas Lewis and Edward Owens, were killed. Ten men were injured, two severely.

—The shoe factory of Pingeree & Smith, in Detroit, was destroyed by fire on the evening of the 30th ult. Loss, $200,000. A fireman was fatally injured. The Alton Box Manufactory, at Alton, Illinois, was burned on the 30th ult. Loss, $40,000; insurance. $13,000. The freight house in Chicopee, Massachusetts, was burned on the 30th ult., with its contents. Loss, $25,000.

—A special to the *Journal* from St. Johns, N. F., dated Boston, March 30, says: The steamer Eagle, from the sealing grounds, is reported lost with 200 men. No particulars have been received.

—Snow fell on the 30th ult., at Louisville and Lexington, Kentucky. By ten o'clock at night the depth had reached ten inches at Louisville and eleven inchns at Lexington, and in the latter city the roof of a livery stable had been crushed in by the superincumbent snow. The storm was general in the interior of the State.

—S. H. Allis, a compositor, is reported to have committed suicide early on the morning of the 30th ult. by jumping from a ferry boat in New York. He left a letter to his wife, saying he "had lost everything, and, though he did not know where he was going after he was dead, it was something to know that he would be beyond the reach of her tongue." Thomas C. Reynolds, ex-Lieutenant Governor of Missouri, committed suicide in the custom house at St. Louis on the 30th ult., by throwing himself down an elevator shaft. He was over 70 years of age, and had been for some time affected in his mind.

—On May 27, 1870, Jefferson Yoke, aged 18 years, was murdered on the Ringtown Mountain, near Shenandoah, Penna. The crime was generally imputed to the Mollie Maguires, though suspicion pointed to Charles Fredericks and Michael Hertzol, of Mifflin, the home of the murdered man. Fredericks died on the 28th ult., and before his death made a confession that he and Hertzol committed the murder for the purpose of robbery. Hertzol has been arrested. On the evening of the 26th ult., Corporal Boyer and another soldier were approached by four Mexicans on the Fort Ringgold Reservation in Texas, and one Mexican opened fire, shooting Boyd dead. Three Mexicans have since been arrested on suspicion. A man, arrested in Jersey City on suspicion of having murdered the young woman at Rahway, was arraigned on the 30th ult. and remanded for a further hearing.

—Alfred Smith, convicted of the murder of his wife and another woman, named Wilson, was sentenced at Cleveland on the 28th ult., to imprisonment for life.

—The thermometer marked ten degrees below zero at Ottawa, Canada, on the morning of the 30th ult., and there was nearly five feet of snow on the ground

—In the boiler works of T. M. Nagle, at Erie, Penna., on the morning of the 31st ult., while steam pressure was being got up in a twenty-horse power boiler which had just been subjected to a hydraulic test, the flue plate gave way, and the superheated steam rushed out. Edgar L. Sturtevant, inspector for the Hartford Steam Boiler Insurance Company, and Patrick Kelley, William McCloud, James Welch and A. L. Murphy were frightfully scalded. It was not believed that Sturtevant, Kelly and McCloud could recover. When the explosion took place the guage registered a pressure of only 140 pounds, but it was probably defective.

—Edward M. Newman, employed by Michael Levinson, wholesale clothier, in New York, was arrested, on the 31st ult., on the charge of having defrauded the firm out of $75,000, by making false entries and misusing checks.

—The express car of a train on the Lake Shore Railroad was entered near Utica, on the 30th ult., by a man who told the express messenger, Leake, to "hold up his hands," and then shot him in the shoulder. The assailant then rifled the safe. The loss is variously estimated at from $1000 to $3000.

—Anthony Knoll, arrested in Jersey City on suspicion of being the Rahway murderer, was discharged on the 31st ult. In the afternoon, C. H. Eldridge, President of the Hudson River and Maine Ice Company, viewed the body of the murdered girl and the clothing, and said it was that of Mary Cregan, who was a domestic in his house in Brooklyn. "She came from Syracuse three weeks ago. On the 23d ult. she started for her uncle's house on Elliott place, Brooklyn and has not been seen since. Mr. Eldridge could not identify the clothing, but is positive that the girl was his servant. Her trunk is still at his house. She frequently received letters from a friend in New Jersey." A loquacious young man, named John T. Neary, who thought the body was that of his sister, but could not give "satisfactory answers" upon examination, has been locked up.

—Joseph Holland was killed and Thomas Glyn severely injured by the explosion of a blast at West Roxbury, Massachusetts, on the 30th ult. Betsy Cook, colored, left three small children in a house near Brookhaven, Mississippi, on the 30th ult., while she went to work in a field. The house caught fire and was consumed, with the children.

—The loss by the burning of the shoe factory of Pingree & Smith, in Detroit, on the 30th ult., is now estimated at $325,000; insurance, $155,000. Two firemen were dangerously injured by a falling wall.

—The most terrific thunder storm ever known in Tazewell county, Virginia, visited that section on the 30th ult. Hail stones an inch in circumference fell, and many telegraph poles along the Norfolk and Western Railroad were shattered by lightning.

—The report of the loss of the steamer Eagle, of St. John's, Newfoundland, has been confirmed by the finding of wreckage from the vessel on Funk Island, off Bonavista Bay. The appearance of the wreckage indicates that the vessel's boilers exploded, and it is believed that all on board were lost. She had a crew of 250 men.

—Tarleton Steele, colored, murdered his wife and attempted to cremate her body near Ada, Alabama, a few days ago. He has been lodged in jail at Montgomery, and has confessed his guilt, John T. Neary, the youth who was arrested in Rahway on the 31st ult., after talking to the reporters and the police, on suspicion of complicity in the recent murder there, was discharged on the morning of the 1st. He was a detective from Boston. The identification of the body of the murdured girl by Mr. C. H. Eldrige turns out to be a mistake. It is now said her clothing is "that of a Danish immigrant"

—Mrs. Angus Cameron, wife of ex-United States Senator Cameron, threw herself into the river at La Crosse, Wisconsin, on the 31st ult. She was rescued and restored to consciousness. It was her second attempt at suicide, her mind having been affected by an injury to her spine several years ago.

—Chief Detective Kelly, of Philadelphia, returned from New York on the evening of the 1st with $300,000 of bonds and other securities, all the property stolen from Miller Brothers, brokers, 136 South Front Street, Philadelphia, whose safe was broken open and robbed on the night of March 8th. Access to the building was gained by means of an unoccupied store next door. The burglar, John Talbot, was arrested by Inspector Byrnes, of New York, acting on the suggestion of Chief Kelly, who was convinced from the character of the "job" whose work it was. Talbot has served a term in Sing Sing, and is now under indictment for a burglary in Brooklyn, having recently escaped from Raymond Street Jail.

—The house of J. B. Bolin, in Cedarville, California, was burned on the 30th ult., and three children perished in the flames. Mrs. Bolin was dangerously injured.

—The snow blockade on the railroads in Quebec has been raised and the English mails which arrived in Halifax a week ago were delivered in Quebec on the morning of the 1st.

—The total coinage of the U. S. Mints during March was $5,195,906, including 3,020,380 standard dollars.

—Joseph Lindenmuth and John Slattery were injured, the former perhaps fatally, by the explosion of a keg of powder in a mine at New Castle, Penna., on the afternoon of the 1st. Lindenmuth hung his lamp upon a prop, and was filling a cartridge when the lamp fell into the keg.

—The Board of Pardons at Harrisburg on the 1st commuted the death sentence of William Buset, of Elk county, to imprisonment for life.

—The trial of Dr. James Hodges in San Francisco, for exploding a bomb during a Patti concert, has resulted in a verdict of assault with an intent to commit murder. Hodges testified that he had gone to the theatre with the intention of ending his life while Patti was singing, so that he "could be her page in the spirit land."

—In Lexington, Kentucky, on the 31st ult., "Sam" Magone, "a leading hatter," playfully painted" a rifle at a ten-year-old colored girl and it went off. The girl was wounded in the forehead, and her recovery is doubtful. Magone became "frantic with grief at the accident."

—The public debt statement issued on the 1st shows a reduction of $12,808,467 during March. Total cash in the Treasury, $453,117,086.

FOOD FOR THOUGHT

Unbelief is the influence of all sins, and binds them down upon us.

Let us search ourselves in the first place and afterwards the world.

Hope is the mainspring of happiness; resolution is the secret of success.

The wise and prudent conquer difficulties by daring to attempt them.

Be severe to yourself, indulgent to others, and thus avoid resentment.

Scientific scrutiny may take things to pieces but it can't put them together again.

We attract hearts by the qualities we display; we retain by the qualities we possess.

The most completely lost of all days is the one on which we have not laughed.

The wise man does not speak of all he does, but he does nothing that cannot be spoken of.

Society is a troop of thinkers, and the best heads among them take the best places.

We must do quickly what there is no hurry for, to be able to do slowly what demands haste.

Small service is true service while it lasts. Of friends, however humble, scorn not one.

He who is the most slow in making a promise is the most faithful in the performance of it.

He who finds pleasure in vice and pain in virtue, is a novice both in the one and the other.

When men are together they listen to one another, but women and girls look at one another.

The truths which we least wish to hear are those which it is most to our advantage to know.

The true secret of living at peace with all the world is to have an humble opinion of ourselves.

The three things most difficult are to keep a secret, to forget an injury, and to make good use of leisure.

When men grow virtuous in their old age they are merely making a sacrifice to God of the devil's leavings.

If you let trouble sit upon your soul, like a hen upon her nest, you may expect the hatching of a large brood.

It is good discretion not to make much of any man at the first, because one cannot hold out that proportion.

The proverb is true, that light gains make heavy purses, for light gains come often; great gains now and then.

When you haven't any money—never mind. This is philosophy. Hurry around and earn some. This is common sense.

Be not angry that you cannot make others as you wish them to be, since you cannot make yourself as you wish to be.

Dissipation is a sure and swift destroyer, and every young man who follows it is as the early flower exposed to untimely frost.

As long as we are living God will give us living grace, till its the time to die. What's the use of trying to feel like dying when you ain't dying, nor anything near it?

Reputation is rarely proportioned to virtue. We have seen a thousand people esteemed, either for the merit they have not yet attained, or for that they no longer possessed.

If we think of religion only as a means of escaping what we call the wrath to come, we shall not escape it; we are already under it; we are the burden of death, for we care only for ourselves.

To be prudent, honest and good, are accomplishments infinitely higher than are those of being nice, florid and learned; or all that which the world calls great, as good scholars and fine gentlemen.

The happiness of your life depends upon the quality of your thoughts; therefore guard accordingly, and take care that you entertain no notions unsuitable to virtue and unreasonable to nature.

I think that if you observe what justice and kindness both say to you in the journey of life, other people will be glad to walk with you and be sorry to part with you, and that when you get to the end you will look back on your course with satisfaction and joy.

This may be said of the trials of all God's servants in every age: that love appoints them, wisdom chooses them, Providence arranges them, promises are provided for them, grace supports and strengthens those who suffer them, and glory shall be the issue of every one of them when every mystery shall be cleared away, and when He who is the resurrection and the life shall finish his great redeeming work, and cause death to be swallowed up in victory.

Two things characterize every church that is in the highest condition of spiritual health. The one is that they all worship, the other is that they all work. The first appertains more directly to the heart; the second appertains as well to the head, the hands and purse. The fullest combination of the two would almost realize the ideal of church life in its highest form.

"How was it possible for you to swallow so nauseous fruit?" asked the master, Lokman answered, "I have received so many sweets from you that it is not wonderful I should have swallowed the only bitter fruit you ever gave me." The master was so much charmed with this reply that he gave Lokman his liberty. The beautiful answer might teach us a lesson. We take the gifts from our heavenly Father with a smiling face; but when he sees best for our good to send us something we do not like, our countenance falls, and even if we do not speak, our sullen discontent is apparent to all.

TRIBUTES TO WOMAN.

Gems From the Poets, Preachers and Sages of many Lands.

Woman is the masterpiece.

Woman is the crown of creation.

Women teach us repose, civilty and dignity.

All that I am my mother made me.

Shakespeare has no heroes—he has only heroines.

Woman is the most perfect when the most womanly.

In wishing to extend her empire, woman destroys it.

Nature meant to make woman its masterpiece.

There is a woman at the beginning of all great things.

If woman lost us Eden, such as she alone can restore it.

I wish Adam had died with all his ribs in his body.

To a gentleman, every woman is a lady in right of her sex.

What is a woman? Only one of nature's agreeable blunders.

A handsome woman is a jewel; a good woman is a treasure.

A fashionable woman is always in love with herself.

Woman is last at the cross and earliest at the grave.

No man can neither live piously or die righteous without a wife.

All women are good—good for nothing, or good for something.

There never was a fair woman but she mouths in a glass.

The sweetest thing in life is the unclouded welcome of a wife.

All the reasonings of men are not worth one sentiment of women.

Handsome women without religion are like flowers without perfume.

Women are a new race, recreated since the world received Christianity.

But one thing on earth is better than the wife—thas is the mother.

A passionate woman's love is always overshadowed by her fear.

Between a woman's "yes" and "no" I would not venture to stick a pin.

Earth has nothing more tender than a woman's heart when it is the abode of pity.

For where is any author in the world teaches such beauty as a woman's eyes.

Woman is the Sunday of man; not his repose only, his joy the salt of his life.

Woman is born for love, and it is impossible to turn her from seeking it.

A woman may be ugly, ill shaped, wicked, ignorant, silly and stupid, but hardly ever ridiculous.

If the whole world were put in one scale and my mother into the other, the world would kick the beam.

There are only two beautiful things in the world—women and roses; and only two sweet things—women and melons.

O, woman! in ordinary cases so mere a mortal, how in the great and rare events of life dost thou swell into the angels!

Women have more strength in their looks than we have in our laws; and more power by their tears than we have by our arguments.

A beautiful woman is a practical poet; taming her savage mate, planting tenderness, hope and eloquence in all whom she approaches.

Misfortune sprinkles ashes on the heart of the man, but falls like dew on the head of the woman and brings forth germs of strength of which she herself had no conscious possession.

Almost all women will give a sympathizing hearing to men who are in love. Be they ever so old, they grow young again in that conversation and renew their own early time. Men are not quite so generous.

Long Engagements.

They may be prudent but they certainly rob courtship of a great deal of its bloom. There is much to say against the policy of wedding in haste, but young people who take each other for better or worse, in all the illusions of mutual trust and admiration, go through a time of ecstasy unknown to those who marry quite rationally. The honeymoon of such pairs are halcyon epochs to be remembered all a life, and if the after periods seem dull and loveless by comparison, yet it is something to have lived, for however brief a time, up to the highest ideal of felicity. Besides, there is no little sweetness in having faced the first hardships of life together. If a young couple have to encounter poverty, and if they conquer it side by side, lightening all their labors by sharing them and diminishing their troubles by mutual consolation and encouragement, they forge links which must bind their hearts closer and closer together. I like to see a young man saving money against his wedding day, while his future wife looks on complacently. It is pleasanter still to hear a smiling woman remark: "We had nothing at all when we were married; but see how cozy we have made our house." This means that there has been cheerful hard work on the one side, thrift and self-denial on the other—in fact, union. After all, the yoke of marriage is an apparatus that should sit on two pairs of shoulders, and there is nothing very seemly in seeing a girl wait to wear her own part of it until it has been nicely padded with quilted satin.

The Code of a Quakeress.

The following is a code of rules which governed the daily life of Elizabeth Fry, the noted Quaker reformer:

1. Never lose any time. I do not think that lost which is spent in amusement or recreation every day; but always be in the habit of being employed.
2. Never err the least in truth.
3. Never say any ill thing of a person when thou canst say a good thing of him. Not only speak charitably but feel so.
4. Never be irritable or unkind to anybody.
5. Never indulge thyself in luxuries that are not necessary.
6. Do all things with consideration, and when thy path of duty is most difficult, put confidence in that power alone which is able to assist thee, and exert thine own powers as they go.

A man displeased with the world is never satisfied with himself.

NEW WEATHER SIGNALS.

Adopted for general use by the United States Signal Service on and after March 1, 1887.

With a view of securing a uniform system of signals throughout the country, it is recommended that flags now in use be replaced by those shown herein. The flags are four in number and

DISPLAY EXAMPLES.

Warmer, Fair Weather, followed by Rain or Snow.

their use is urged for the benefit of the general public and those industries dependent, to a great extent, upon weather conditions. The "Indications" are prepared at Washington by the chief Signal officer, daily, for the twenty-four hours commencing at 7 a. m.

As the weather indications are telegraphed daily to a large number of stations of the Signal Service, to railroads, &c., in various sections of the country, there are many small towns where they may be obtained by telephone, free of expense. Those desiring to display weather signals and not able to obtain the indications as above, should communicate direct with the Chief Signal Officer, and if it is not practicable to telegraph the indications, at the expense of the United States, to such places, they will always be furnished at Government rates, at twenty cents per message, sent collect.

INTERPRETATION OF SIGNALS.

Number 1, white flag, clear or fair weather, no rain. Number 2, blue flag, rain or snow. Number 3, black triangular flag, refers to temperature, and above numbers 1 or 2, indicates warmer weather; below numbers 1 or 2, colder weather, and when not displayed, stationary weather. Number 4, white flag with black center (cold-wave flag) sudden fall in temperature: this signal is usually ordered at least twenty-four hours in advance of the cold wave. It is not displayed unless a temperature of forty-five degrees, or less, is expected, nor is flag number 3 ever displayed with it.

The system is not complicated, the solid colors will secure legibility, and the flags may be made of bunting, at a cost of from $6 to $12, or of cotton cloth, at $2. The displays here outlined may be greatly extended and become one of the most valuable aids to farmers, shippers, and the public generally, by a little exertion and a small expense for flags on the part of those who would be benefited by the signals. Weather signals have been adopted and are in use by some of the principal railroads throughout the country, the symbols, made of tin or sheet iron, being displayed from the baggage car. These roads transmit over their wires each morning, to points from which trains start, the names of the symbols to be displayed, the baggage master at those points attending to the signals. Many large firms and corporations are displaying these signals and at the same time advertising their business by printing the signals and their meanings on the back of their business cards.

The Gulf Stream's Warmth.

The fact is well understood, of course, that Great Britain and other parts of northwestern Europe owe much, in the matter of climate and temperature, to the warming influence of the Gulf Stream. The extent of the effect which is thus produced, according to the calculations made by Dr. Croll, almost exceed belief, or even comprehension, in a mathematical sense. He has found, by careful scientific estimate, that the amount of heat conveyed northward in the Atlantic by this stream is equivalent to 77,470,650,000,000,000,000 foot pounds of energy per day, which is equal to all the heat received by 1,560,035 square miles at the equator, and more heat than is conveyed by all the air currents—and so positive is its climatic effect, and so far reaching, that, according to Dr. Croll, the heat of the Arctic seas and North Atlantic would be diminished to that immense extent by the stoppage or diversion of the great ocean river.

The Arabian Mare.

She was the most beautiful mare I have ever seen, of pure Najd blood, gray, with flea-bitten spots, eyes too large for her head, nostril thin and expanded, the throat of a game-cock, the hair of her mane and tail so fine and soft that the most beautiful woman might have been proud of such texture, and her skin so thin and soft that the thorn bushes through which I rode her used to tear it; and after many of my runs through the jungle I have had her bleeding from the thorns, looking as if she had been practiced upon with a light sabre. She was what you would consider in England a pony, 14 hands 1½ inches high; but she was as broad almost as a dray horse, and her tail was set up so high that as she moved about her loose-box you could, stooping, walk between it and the ground. Her feet were black and hard, and the tendons below her hocks and knees were like harp strings. Add to this that her head was so lean that you might have boiled it without obtaining any flesh from it, and you have a picture of what this desert-born mare was.

The tree will not only lie as it falls, but it will fall as it leans. And the great question every one should bring home to himself, is, "What is the inclination of my soul? Does it with all its affections and powers, lean toward God, or away from him?"

The human heart is like heaven—the more angels the more room.

DR. TALMAGE'S SERMON.

Cheer for the Disheartened.

"No man cared for my soul."—PSALM 124 : 4.

DAVID, the rubicund lad, had become the battle-worn warrior. Three thousand armed men in pursuit of him, he had hidden in the cave of Engedi, near the coast of the Dead Sea. Utterly fagged out with the pursuit, as you have often been worn out with the trials of life, he sat down and cried out, "No man cared for my soul."

If you should fall through a hatchway, or slip from a scaffolding, or drop through a skylight, there would be hundreds of people who would come around and pick up your body and carry it to the home or to the hospital. I saw a great crowd of people in the street, and I asked, "What is the matter?" and I found out that a poor laboring man had fallen under sunstroke and all our eyes were filled with tears at the thought of his distracted wife and his desolated home. We are all sympathetic with physical disaster, but how

LITTLE SYMPATHY FOR SPIRITUAL WOES!

There are men in this house who have come to mid-life who have never yet been once personally accosted about their eternal welfare. A great sermon dropped into an audience of hundreds of thousands will do its work; but if this world is ever to be brought to God, it will be through little sermons preached to private Christians *to an audience of one*. The sister's letter postmarked at the village; the word uttered in your hearing, half of smiles and half of tears; the religious postscript to a business letter; the card left at the door when you had some kind of trouble; the anxious look of some one across a church aisle while an earnest sermon was being preached, swung you into the kingdom of God.

But there are hundreds of people in this house who will take the word that David used in the past tense and employ it in the present tense, and cry out. "No man cares for my soul." You feel as you go out day by day in the tug and jostle of life that it is

EVERY MAN FOR HIMSELF.

You can endure the pressure of commercial affairs and would consider it almost impertinent for any one to ask you whether you are making or losing money. But there have been times when you would have drawn your cheque for thousands of dollars if some one would only help your soul out of its perplexities. There are questions about your higher destiny that ache, and distract, and agonize you at times. Let no one suppose that because you are busy all day with hardware, or dry-goods, or groceries, or grain, that your thoughts are no longer than your yard-stick, and stop at the brass-headed nails of the store counter. When you speak once about religious things you think a thousand times. They call you a worldling; you are

NOT A WORLDLING.

Of course you are industrious and kept busy, but you have had your eyes opened to the realities of the next world. You are not a fool. You know better than any one can tell you that a few years at most will wind up your earthly engagements, and that you will take residence in a distant sphere where all your business adroitness would be a superfluity. You sometimes think till your head aches about great religious subjects. You go down the street with your eyes fixed on the pavement, oblivious of the passing multitudes, your thoughts gone on an eternal expedition. You wonder if the Bible is true; how much of it is literal and how much is figurative; law if Christ be God; if there is anything like retribution, if you are immortal; if a resurrection will ever take place; what the occupation of your departed kindred is; what you will be ten thousand years from now. With a cultured placidity of countenance you are on fire with agitations of soul. Oh, this

SOLITARY ANXIETY

of your whole lifetime! You have sold goods to or bought them from Christian people for ten years, and they have never whispered one word of spiritual counsel. You have passed up and down the aisles of churches with men who knew that you had no hope of heaven, and talked about the weather, and about your physical health, and about everything but that concerning which you most wanted to hear them speak—namely, your everlasting spirit. Times without number you have felt in your heart, if you have not uttered it with your lips. "No man cares for my soul."

There have been times when you were especially pliable on the great subject of religion. It was so, for instance after you had lost your property. You had a great many letters blowing you up for being unfortunate. You showed that there had been a concatenation of circumstances, and that your insolvency was no fault of yours. Your creditors talked to you as though they would have a hundred cents on a dollar or your life. Protest after protest tumbled in on your desk. Men who used to take your hand with both of theirs and shake it violently, now pass you on the street with an almost imperceptible nod. After six or eight hours of scalding business anxiety you go home, and you shut the door and throw yourself on the sofa, and you feel in a state of despair. You wish that some one would come in and break up the gloom. Everything seems to be against you. The bank against you. Your creditors against you. Your friends, suddenly become critical, against you. All the past against you. All the future against you. You make reproachful outcry. "No man cares for my soul."

There was another occasion when all the doors of your heart swung

OPEN FOR SACRED INFLUENCES.

A bright light went out in your household. Within three or four days there were compressed sickness, death obsequies. You were so lonely that a hundred people coming into the house did not break up the solitariness. You were almost killed with the domestic calamity. A few formal, perfunctory words of consolation were uttered on the stairs before you went to the grave; but you wanted some one to come and talk over the whole matter, and recite the alleviations, and decipher the lessons of the dark bereavement. No one came. Many a time you could not sleep until two or three o'clock in the morning, and then your sleep was a troubled dream, in which was re-enacted all the scene of sickness, and parting, and dissolution. Oh, what days and nights they were! No man seemed to care for your soul.

There was another occasion when your heart was very susceptible. There was

A GREAT AWAKENING.

There were hundreds of people who pressed into the kingdom of God—some of them acquaintances, some business associates, yes, perhaps some members of your own family were baptized by sprinkling or immersion. Christian people thought of you and they called at your store, but you were out on business. They stopped at your house; you had gone around to spend the evening. They sent a kindly message to you; somehow, by accident, you did not get it. The life-boat of the Gospel swept through the surf, and everybody seemed to get in but you. Everything seemed to escape you. One touch of personal sympathy would have pushed you into the kingdom of God. When on communion-day your friends went in and your sons and daughters went into the church, you buried your face in your handkerchief and sobbed. "Why am I left out? Everybody seems to get saved but me. No man cares for my soul."

Hearken to a revelation I have to make. It is

A STARTLING STATEMENT.

It will so surprise you that I must prove it as I go on. Instead of this total indifference all about you in regard to your soul, I have to tell you that heaven, earth, and hell are after your immortal spirit. Earth to cheat it. Hell to destroy it. Heaven to redeem it. Although you may be a stranger to the Christians in this house, their faces would glow and their hearts would bound if they saw you make one step heavenward. So intricate and far-reaching is this web of sympathy, that I could by one word rouse a great many prayers in your behalf. No one care for your soul! Why, one signal of distress on your part would thrill this audience with holy excitement.

If a boat in any harbor should get in distress, from the men of war, and from the sloops, and from the steamers, the flying paddles would pull to the rescue. And if now you would lift one signal of distress, all these voyagers of eternity would bear down toward you and bring you relief. But no. You are

LIKE A SHIP ON FIRE

at sea. They keep the hatches down, and the captain is frenzied, and he gives orders that no one hail the passing ships. He says, "I shall either land this vessel in Hamburg or on the bottom of the ocean, and I don't care which." Yonder is a ship of the White Star Line passing. Yonder one of the National Line. Yonder one of the Cunard Line. Yonder one of the Inman Line. But they know not there is any calamity happening on that one vessel. Oh, if the captain would only put his trumpet to his lip and cry out, "Lower your boats! Bear down this way! We are burning up! Fire! Fire!" No, no. No signal is given. If that vessel perishes, having hailed no one, whose fault will it be? Will it be the fault of the ship that hid its calmity, or will it be the fault of the vessels that, passing on the high seas, would have been glad to furnish relief if it had been only asked? In other words, my brother, if you miss heaven it will be you own fault.

No one cares for your soul! Why, in all the ages there have been men whose entire business was soul-saving. In this work Munson went down under the knives of the cannibals whom he had come to save, and Robert McCheyne preached himself to death by thirty years of age, and John Bunyan was thrown into a dungeon in Bedfordshire, and Jehudi Ashman endured all the maharias of the African jungle; and there are hundreds and thousands of Christian men and women now who are praying, toiling, preaching, living, dying to save souls.

No one care for your soul! Have you heard

HOW CHRIST FEELS ABOUT IT?

I know it was only five or six miles from Bethlehem to Calvary—the birthplace and the deathplace of Christ—but who can tell how many miles it was from the throne to the manger? How many miles down, how many miles back again? The place of His departure was the focus of all splendor and pomp. All the thrones facing His throne. His name the chorus in every song and the inscription on every banner. His landing-place a cattle-pen, malodorous with unwashed brutes, and dogs growling in and out of the stable. Born of a weary mother who had journey eighty miles in severe unhealth that she might find the right place for the Lord's nativity—born, not as other princes, under the flash of a chandelier, but under a lantern swung by a rope to the roof of the barn. In that place Christ started to save you. Your name, your face, your time, your eternity, in Christ's mind. Sometimes travelling on mule's back to escape King Herod's massacre, sometimes attempting nervous sleep on the chilly hill-side, sometimes earning His breakfast by the carpentry of a plough. In Quarantania the stones of the field, by their shape and color, looking like the loaves of bread, tantalizing His hunger. Yet all the time keeping on after you. With drenched coat treading the surf of Gennesaret. Howled after by a bloodthirsty mob. Denounced as a drunkard. Mourning over a doomed city, while others shouted at the sight of the shimmering towers. All the time coming on and

COMING ON TO SAVE YOU.

Indicted as being a traitor against government, perjured witnesses swearing their souls away to insure His butchery. Flogged, spit on, slapped in the face, and then hoisted on rough lumber, in the sight of earth, and heaven, and hell, to purchase your eternal emancipation. From the first infant step to the last step of manhood on her sharp spike of Calvary a journey for you. Oh, how

HE CARED FOR YOUR SOUL?

By dolorous arithmetic add up the stable, the wintry tempest, the midnight dampness, the abstinence of forty days from food, the brutal Sanhedrim, the heights of Golgotha, across which all the hatreds of earth and all the furies of hell charged with their bayonets, and then dare to say again that no one cares for your soul.

A young man might as well go off from home and give his father and mother no intimation as to where he has gone, and, crossing the seas, sitting down in some foreign country, cold, sick, and hungry and lonely, saying, "My father and mother don't care anything about me. Do not care anything about him! Why, that father's hair has turned gray since his son went off. He has written to all the consuls in the foreign ports asking about that son. Does not the mother care anything about him? He has broken her heart. She has never smiled since he went away. All day long, and almost all night, she keeps asking, "Where is he! Where can he be?" He is the first thought in her prayer and the last thought in her prayer—the first thought in the morning and the last at night. She says, "O God, bring back my boy. I must see him again before I die." Oh, do not his father and mother care for him? You go away from your heavenly Father, and you think He does not care for you because you will not even read the letters by which He invites you to come back, while all heaven is waiting, and waiting and waiting for you to return.

A young man said to his father, "I am going off; I will write to you

AT THE END OF SEVEN YEARS

and tell you where I am." Many years have passed along since that son went away, and for years the father has been going to the depot in the village on the arrival of every train, and when he hears the whistle in the distance he is thrilled with excitement, and he waits until all the passengers have come out, and then he waits until the train has gone clear out of sight again, and then he goes home hastening back to the next train; and he will be at every train until that son comes back, unless the son waits until the father be dead. But oh, the greater patience of God! He has been waiting for you not seven years, not nine years, but for some of you twenty years, thirty years, forty years, fifty years—waiting, calling—waiting, calling, until nothing but omnipotent patience could have endured it. Oh, my brother, do not take the sentiment of my text as your sentiment! We do care for your soul.

One Sabbath night years ago in my church in Brooklyn a young man appeared at the end of the platform, and he said to me, "I have just come off the sea." I said, when did you arrive?" Said he, "I came into port this afternoon. I was in a great "blow" off Cape Hatteras this last week, and I thought that I

MIGHT AS WELL GO TO HEAVEN

as to hell. I thought the ship would sink; but, sir, I never very seriously thought about my soul until tonight." I said to him, "Do you feel that Christ is able and willing to save you?" "Oh, yes," he replied, "I do." "Well," I said, "now are you willing to come and be saved by Him?" "I am," he said. "Well, will you now, in the prayer we are about to offer, give yourself to God for time and eternity?" "I will," he said. Then we knelt in prayer, and after we had got through praying he told me that the great transformation had taken place. I could not doubt it. He is on the sea now. I do not know what other port he may gain, but I think he will gain the harbor of heaven.

"Star of peace, beam o'er the billow,
Bless the soul that sighs for Thee;
Bless the sailor's lonely pillow,
Far, far at sea."

It was sudden conversion with him that night. Oh, that it might be sudden conversion with you to-day! God can save you in one moment as well as He can in a century. There are sudden deaths, sudden calamities; why not

SUDDEN DELIVERANCES?

God's Spirit is infinite in speed. He comes here with omnipotent power, and He is ready here and now, instantaneously and forever, to save your soul. I believe that a multitude of you will to-day come to God. I feel you are coming, and you will bring along your families and your friends with you. They have heard in heaven already of the step you are about to take. The news has been cried along the golden streets, and has rung out from the towers. "A soul saved! A soul saved!" But there is some one here to-day who will reject this Gospel. He will stay out of the kingdom of God himself. He will keep his family and his friends out. It is a dreadful thing for a man just to plant himself in the way of life, then keep back his children, keep back his companion in life, keep back his business partners—refuse to go into heaven himself, and refuse to let others go in.

TRAGIC DEATH OF A REJECTOR.

A young man, at the close of a religious service, was asked to decide the matter of his soul's salvation. He said, "I will not do it to-night." Well, the Christian man kept talking with him, and he said, "I insist that to-night you either take God or reject Him." "Well," said the young man, "if you put it that way, I will reject Him. There now the matter's settled." On his way home on horseback, he knew not that a tree had fallen aslant the road, and he was going at full speed, and he struck the obstacle and dropped lifeless. That night his Christian mother heard the riderless horse plunging about the barn, and suspecting that something terrible was the matter, she went out and came to the place where her son lay, and she cried out, "Oh, Henry! dead and not a Christian. Oh, my son! my son! dead and not a Christian. O Henry! Henry! dead and not a Christian." God keep us from such a catastrophe.

Telegraph Statistics.

The United States has as many miles of telegraph as all the countries of Europe combined, and the people of this country send more than double the number of messages by telegraph as Great Britain, whose people send the largest number of any in Europe.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON.

SUNDAY, APRIL 10, 1887.

Joseph Exalted.

LESSON TEXT.

(Gen. 41 : 38-48.)

LESSON PLAN.

TOPIC OF THE QUARTER: *Bondage and Deliverance.*

GOLDEN TEXT FOR THE QUARTER: *There is no other God that can deliver after this sort.*—Dan. 3 : 29.

LESSON TOPIC: *Delivered and Exalted.*

Lesson Outline: {1 Exalted from Bondage, vs. 38-40. 2 Invested with Authority, vs. 41-44 3 Ruling with Wisdom, vs. 45-48.

GOLDEN TEXT: *Commit thy way unto the Lord; trust also in him; and he shall bring it to pass.*—Psa. 37 : 5.

DAILY HOME READINGS:

M.—Gen. 41 : 38-48. Delivered and exalted.
T.—Gen. 40 : 1-23. Joseph in prison.
W.—Gen. 41 : 1-37. Joseph before Pharaoh.
T.—Gen. 41 : 49-57. Joseph in authority.
F.—Esth. 8 : 1-17. The Jews delivered and exalted.
S.—Dan.. 6 : 1-28. Daniel delivered and exalted.
S.—Acts. 2 : 22-36. Jesus delivered and exalted.

LESSON ANALYSIS.

I. EXALTED FROM BONDAGE.

I. A True Basis of Merit;

A man in whom the spirit of God is (38).
Joshua,....a man in whom is the spirit (Num. 27 : 18).
The spirit of the holy gods in thee (Dan. 4 : 18).
A man full of faith and of the Holy Spirit (Acts 6 : 5).
He was a good man, and full of the Holy Ghost (Act 11 : 24)

II. A Natural Fruit of Godliness:

There is none so discreet and wise as thou (39).
Thou art able, for the spirit...is in thee (Dan. 4 : 18).
The Holy Spirit....shall teach you all things (John 14 : 26).
Men....full of the Spirit and of wisdom (Acts 6 : 3).
Ye have an anointing....and ye know all things (1 John 2 : 20).

III. A Grand Field of Usefulness:

According unto thy word shall all my people be ruled (40).
One....that ruleth in the fear of God, ...shall be as the light (2 Sam. 23 ; 3).
He made him lord of his house, and ruler (Psa. 105 : 21).
I will see thee over many things (Matt. 25 : 21).
He made him governor over Egypt and all his house (Acts 7 : 10).

1. "Can we find such a one as this?" (1) High qualifications needed: (2) High qualifications found.
2. "God hath shewed thee all this." (1) A Divine teacher; (2) A susceptible pupil; (3) A blessed result.
3. "Only in the throne will I be greater than thou." (1) Extensive jurisdiction allotted; (2) Supreme jurisdiction reserved.—(1) Joseph's sway; (2) Pharaoh's reservation.

II. INVESTED WITH AUTHORITY.

I. The Royal Ring:

Pharaoh took off his signet ring,.... and put it upon Joseph's hand (42).
The king took off his ring,...and gave it unto Haman (Esther 3 : 10).
It was sealed with the king's ring (Esther 3 : 12).
The king took off his ring,....and gave it unto Mordecai (Esther 8 : 2).
Put a ring on his hand (Luke 15 : 22).

II. The Royal Robe:

And arrayed him in vestures of fine linen (42).
David was clothed with a robe of fine linen (1 Chron. 15 : 27).
Mordecai went forth... in royal apparel of blue and white (Esther 8 : 15).
I girded thee about with fine linen (Ezek. 16 : 10).
Clothed in fine linen, white and pure (Rev. 19 : 14).

III. The Royal Rule.

Without thee shall no man lift up his hand (44).
Go unto Joseph; what he saith to you, do (Gen. 41 : 55).
He it was that sold to all the people (Gen. 42 : 6).
He is ruler over all the land of Egypt (Gen. 45 : 26).
To bind his princes at his pleasure (Psa. 105 : 22).

1. "Ring.....vestures,....chain,... chariot." (1) Symbols of royalty; (2) Symbols of honor; (3) Symbols of authority.
2. "He set him over all the land of Egypt." (1) To rule it; (2) To save it.—(1) To gather in its plenty; (2) To support in its poverty.
3. "I am Pharaoh." (1) Sovereignty recognized; (2) Sovereignty asserted; (3) Sovereignty delegated.

III. RULING WITH WISDOM.

I. Planning the Work:

Joseph went out over the land of Egypt (45).
Appoint overseers over the land (Gen. 41 : 34).
Joseph....went throughout all the land of Egypt (Gen. 41 : 46).
Then went I up in the night,....and viewed the wall (Neh. 2 : 15).
Lift up your eyes, and look on the fields (John 4 : 35).

II. Gathering the Food:

He gathered up all the food of the seven years (48).
Let them gather all the food of these good years (Gen. 41 : 35).
And gathereth her food in the harvest (Prov. 6 : 8).
He that gathereth in summer is a wise son (Prov. 10 : 5).
He that reapeth,....gathereth fruit unto life eternal (John 4 : 36).

III. Providing for Emergency:

The food....round about every city, laid he up (48).
Joseph laid up corn as the sand of the sea (Gen. 41 : 49).
In all the land of Egypt there was bread (Gen. 41 : 54).
Prepare to meet thy God (Amos 4 : 12).
Be ye also ready:....the Son of man cometh (Matt. 24 : 44).

1. "Joseph went out over the land of Egypt." (1) The man; (2) The land; (3) The outgoing—Went out (1) To survey the field; (2) To organize his work; (3) To initiate his gatherings.
2. "The earth brought forth by handfuls." (1) To fulfill Joseph's interpretation; (2) To fill Joseph's granaries; (3) To feed Joseph's dependants; (4) To honor Joseph's God.
3. "Laid up the food in the cities." (1) Food abundant; (2) Food gathered; (3) Food garnered; (4) Food convenient.

LESSON BIBLE READING.

GOD'S PROVIDENTIAL CARE.

1. Its Sphere:

Over all his works (Psa. 103 : 19; 145 : 9).
Preserves all his works (Neh. 9 : 6; Matt. 10 : 29).
Provides food for all (Psa. 104 : 27, 28; 136 : 25).
Specially preserves his saints (Psa. 37 : 28; Matt. 10 : 30, 31).
Controls all men (Prov. 16 : 9; Acts 5 : 38, 39).
Overrules evil (Gen. 45 : 5-7; 50 : 20; Psa. 76 : 10).

2. Its Aim:

The glory of God (Psa. 46 : 10; 1 Cor. 15 : 24-28).
The good of saints (Rom. 8 : 28; 1 Cor. 3 : 21-53).

3. Its Operations:

With Abraham (Gen. 22 : 6-13).
With Joseph (Gen. 37 : 23-28; 45 : 4-8).
With Elijah (1 Kings 17 : 2-6).
With Mordecai (Esther 6 : 1-3, 10, 11).
With Peter (Acts 12 : 5-11).
With Paul (Acts 23 : 10-24).

LESSON SURROUNDINGS.

The last lesson left Joseph in Egypt, a slave to Potiphar, who was a captain of the king's body-guard, which was also the king's band of executioners.

At this point the Bible narrative turns aside to relate a story of the misdoings in the house of Judah, the son of Jacob in whose line the promised Messiah was to come. In such truthful exhibits as this, of the sinfulness of the chosen people of God, it is that the inspiration which guided the Bible record is evidenced. There is no attempt to show these men perfect. They are pictured just as they were. And it is noteworthy, in this connection, that the dishonored daughter of Judah is the first of the four women named in the genealogy of Jesus, with which the New Testament opens, the other three being Rahab the Canaanitish harlot, Ruth, a woman of the Moabitish stock; and the false wife of Uriah the Hittite. It was not of a pure and untainted stock that Jesus Christ came into this world, when he humbled himself to be formed in fashion as a man. Nor are sinners shut out from the provisions of grace.

Returning to Joseph, the Bible narrative represents his varied and eventful career in Egypt. No story in the Bible is fuller of interest than this story of Joseph. When the International lessons were first entered upon, three full months were given to this story. But now only a few salient points in Joseph's history are touched upon in the lessons selected.

"The Lord was with Joseph, and he was a prosperous man." His Egyptian master trusted him. But Joseph's very winsomeness brought him temptations. Then Joseph was with the Lord, in his gratitude at having the Lord with him. When tempted, he stayed himself on God. "How can I do this great wickedness and sin against God?" was the thought which was his safeguard. He was then hated for his very virtue. He was misrepresented, and was cast into prison unjustly. Among the disclosures of early Egyptian literature there is a strange parallel of this story of Joseph in his temptation and fidelity and consequent suffering; although the two parties represented here by Potiphar and Joseph are in that narrative brothers, instead of master and slave.

In the military prison, or fortress, where Joseph was confined, the Lord gave him favor with those who were over him. He was Divinely enabled to interpret the dreams of two of his fellow-prisoners, whose future was thus disclosed to them. One of these prisoners, who was the king's chief butler, or cup-bearer, promised to remember Joseph gratefully and helpfully, when again in his old position of royal favor, as Joseph assured him he should be; but he forgot that promise right speedily, and Joseph remained a prisoner.

Two years after this, Pharaoh dreamed a strange dream, which troubled him sorely. He sought to learn its meaning; but his magicians, or "sacred scribes," could not help him. Then it was that the chief butler remembered Joseph's power as an interpreter, and reported it to the king. Joseph was quickly sent for, and asked to interpret the royal dream. Joseph referred all his power of dream-interpreting to God. The dream was told to him. He interpreted it as foretelling seven years of plenty in Egypt, to be followed by seven years of famine. He also counseled Pharaoh to set some man in charge of the work of garnering the surplus grain of the years of plenty as a reserve store against the years of famine. "The thing was good in the eyes of Pharaoh;" and it is at this point that the lesson begins.

It is thought by many scholars that Joseph's life in Egypt was during the period of the Hyksos kings, or the Shepherd kings, a foreign race of rulers—from the East—who dominated Egypt during a number of centuries. This gives an added reason for the royal confidence reposed in Joseph, as a man more likely to be in sympathy with the dynasty then on the throne than a native Egyptian would have been.

The time of this lesson is, according to our ordinary Bible chronology, about 1715 B. C. The place is Zoan, or Tanis, or San, in Lower Egypt, which was the royal residence at that time. The ruins of this city have only recently been unearthed by the Egypt Exploration Fund.

—Carlisle Scott, of Colfax, Illinois, has a gray prairie squirrel which was found frozen solid under a strawstack. Mr. Scott thawed it out gradually, and now it is as lively as ever.

THE VENERABLE KAISER.

A few of the Incidents in a Long Life of Adventure, Adversity and Prosperity.

Born the 22d day of march, 1797 Frederick William Louis von Hohenzollern was from his cradle destined to become a soldier, and when old enough he diligently applied himself to learn the military profession. It was on the 1st of January, 1807, when, crushed at Jena, Prussia had almost ceased to exist as an indepenent nation, that Frederick William III, who with his family was living in the poorly furnished, half-ruined Castle of Koenigsburg, gave his third son, Wilhelm, then 10 years of age, the commission of a subaltern in the Royal Grenadiers, with the remark: "I give you this to-day in order that you may have a new suit of clothes to wear on your next birthday."

On the 1st of Jahuary, 1814, seven years after his entry into the service, and at the age of 17, he rode alongside of Marshal Blucher when the Prussian army crossed the Rhine to invade fair France. At the battle of Bar-sur-Aube, where he came under fire for the first time, he was entrusted with the reconnoissance of the battlefield, and he did this with so much coolness that his father gave him the Iron Cross. Soon after this he was transferred from the Grenadiers to the Guards, and entered with the allies into Paris, an enterprise that he has since twice repeated. The second time was in 1815, after the Belgian campaign, in which he took active part, winning a major's commission at Waterloo.

Deeply in love with the Princess Eliza Radziwill, he consented, in 1829, after but brief resistance, to marry Augusta, eldest daughter of the Duke of Weimar, and in other political matters he has often sacrificed his personal sympathies or repugnances to the exigencies of statecraft. In the meantime his promotion was rapid; in quick succession he became lieutenant-colonel, colonel, general, commander of the First Division of the Guards, commander of the Third Army Corps, and lieutenant-general. Then, on the death of his father, when his childless brother ascended to the throne he was announced as Crown Prince.

In 1857, just thirty years ago, the fiftieth anniversary of his entrance into the army was duly celebrated, but long as has been his connection with the service he did not become the Commander-in-Chief until five months later. Then the mental condition of Frederick William IV forced Wilhelm to accept the Regency, and three years afterwards he was King of Prussia. Those three years were the turning point in the military history of Germany.

But there soon arose a serious conflict between the new king and the Prussian Parliament. Wilhelm looked on the army as his personal property and would not admit that Parliament had any right to even debate the appropriations asked for to keep it up. The difference of opinion between the King and his ministers on this subject led him, in September, 1862, to dismiss them and to intrust his Government to Count von Bismarck. The new president of the Council had also formerly belonged to the Federal or Conservative party; while at Frankford he had learned to dislike Austria and while at Paris he had seen through the aims and ambitions of Louis Napoleon. He resolved to turn those ambitions to the advantage of his sovereign and commenced his plans by getting the attention of his own people drawn away from domestic politics by centering them on foreign affairs. The conflict, however, lasted four years and was exceedingly violent.

The end of this struggle was the great victories over Denmark, Austria and France. The result of the war of 1870-71 is too well known for it to be necessary to dwell on it now. Suffice it to say that for the third time Wilhelm entered Paris as a conqueror; and when he re-entered Berlin at the head of the army on the 16th of June, 1871, it was no longer as King of Prussia, but as Emperor of United Germany. He held that kings either received their authority from God or won it for themselves by victory, and it was as the conqueror of France that he himself consented to receive the crown of united Germany in 1871, his coronation in the Palace of Versailles being equivalent to such a ceremony on the battlefield.

There is never any change in the appearance of the venerable monarch's palace home. His sleeping-rooms and office at the corner of the building that stands in the Unter den Lindon are lit up every evening at the usual hour, and even when the sovereign is absent these windows are bright with lamps and candles until midnight, just as though he were in the capital.

The ipperial household is a frugal one, and few are the grand dinners given. Both Wilhelm and his Empress love the company of their kind, but naturally they have very few intimate friends. She is not fond of anything but plain German cooking, but he likes French plats well made and seasoned.

And so this wonderful man celebrates his 90th anniversary as a soldier in the society of his two great and intimate friends, Bismarck and Von Moltke—this great triumvirate of monarch, diplomat, soldier, whose words are listened to with breathless anxiety, and upon whose actions the whole future of the European continent depends. To-day the German soldiers are the finest in existence, and when the venerable monarch dies he can say, as did Frederick the Great: "The world does not rest more securely on the shoulders of Atlas than does Prussia on its army."

Full Particulars.

If you have three names, madam, write or print them in full. Assert yourself, if your maiden name was Henrietta Jane Brown, and you married John Watkins Stout, as Henrietta Brown Stout—that is in your correspondence. Your card should read Mrs. John Watkins Stout (not Mrs. John W. Stout, nor Mrs. J. W. Stout). But when it comes to legal documents your signature must be Henrietta Jane Stout.

It is better to let a mare pass one season without bringing a colt than to breed her when she is not in condition.

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	W W	James Schofield,
Howard Boro		A Weber,
Milesburg Boro		A C Witherite,
Millheim Boro		A A Frank,
Centre Hall Boro		D J Meyers,
Philipsburg	1st W	C G Herlinger.
	2d W	Henry Lehman,
	3d W	A J Graham,
Unionville Boro		A J Greist,
Benner twp		Thomas Frazier,
Boggs twp, N P		
do W P		Milligan Walker,
do E P		H L Harvey,
Burnside twp		Anson Dougherty,
College twp		John I Williams,
Curtin twp		David Brickley,
Ferguson twp E P		Henry Krebs,
do W P		Frank Bowersox,
Gregg twp S P		Hiram Grove,
do N P		Josiah Rossman
Haines twp E P		William Keen,
do W P		George M Keister,
Half Moon twp		William Bailey,
Harris twp		Frank E Welland,
Howard twp		John Glenn,
Huston twp		Wm Irwin,
Liberty twp		Wm Gardner,
Marion twp		John Ishler,
Miles twp		A N Corman,
Patton twp		J C Eckley,
Penn twp		Wm H Kreamer,
Potter twp N P		F A Foreman,
do S P		W W Royer,
Rush twp, S P		J M Clarr,
do N P		John Howe,
Snow Shoe W P		Andrew Lucas,
do E P		James Reeding,
Spring twp		Wm Woods,
Taylor twp		Wm Calderwood,
Walker twp		John H Beck,
Worth twp		G J Woodring,
Union twp		Charles McGarvey.

H. Y. Stitzer, Secretary. JAMES A. McCLAIN Chairman.

LOCAL ITEMS.

——Geo. Benner will open a subscription school at this place in a few weeks.

——Messrs. J. H. Orvis and J. L. Spangler, two prominent attorneys of Bellefonte, paid our town a visit on Sunday last.

——Rev. Fischer sold Tobe, his fiery driver, last week to Dave Runkle.

——Spring styles in summer goods fosuits have been opened at S. U. Thompson's Bellefonte.

——Prof. Mauger took the train on Saturday morning for a visit to his home in Berks county.

——$1.00 will buy a good horse collar at D. A. Boozer's harness shop, Centre Hall.

——Rev. Steck, of Bellefonte, will deliver his lecture, "The Hero Recognized and Unrecognized," at Pine Grove on Friday evening 8th.

——Mr. John Fortney died at Tyrone on Sunday last of consumption. He was a tailor by trade, a brother of D. F Fortney, esq., and formerly resided at Boalsburg. He was a very estimable citizen. His remains were taken to Pinegrove Mills for burial.

— The survivors of the 148th Regiment of Pennsylvania Volunteers expect to hold a reunion at Bellefonte some time next June Frank Jones, of Mt. Carmel, and Joshua Folk, of Bellefonte, have charge of the preparations. The old 148t was an exclusively Centre county regiment, and made a good record in the civil war.

——We are glad to see that Mr John Powers of Bellefonte is able to be about again. Mr. Powers was confined to the house for over six weeks by a large carbuncle on his face which at times rendered him unconscious and came near ending his life. Mr. Powers is able to be in the store and oversee the business.

FREE TRADE.

The reduction of internal revenue and he taking off of revenue stamps fromm Proprietary Medicines, no doubt has largely benefitted the consumers, as well as relieving the burden of home manufactures. Especially is this the case with *Green's August Flower* and *Boschee's German Syrup*, as the reduction of thirty-six cents per dozen, has been added to increase the size of the bottles containing these remedies; thereby giving one-fifth more medicine in the 75 cent size. The *August Flower* for Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint, and the *German Syrup* for Cough and Lung troubles, have perhaps, the largest sale of any medicines in the world. The advantage of increased size of the bottles will be greatly appreciated by the sick and afflicted, in every town and village in civilized countries. Sample bottles for 10 cents remain the same size.

BARGAINS FOR ALL.

Frank's Great Novelty Store has resumed business at the South East corner of Allegheny and Bishop streets, Bellefonte. Bargains for all.

REGISTER'S NOTICE.—The following accounts have been examined and passed by me and remain filed of record in this office for the inspection of heirs and legatees, creditors and all others in any way interested, and will be presented to the Orphans' Court of Centre county, on Wednesday, the 27th day of April, A. D. 1887.

1. The account of Lizzie B. Wieand, (formerly Lizzie P. Baker,) one of the executors of Joseph Baker, late of College township, deceased.
2. The account of T. E. Boyer, guardian of Rosa M. Kreider, minor child of Philip Kreider, late of Miles township, deceased.
3. The account of T. W. Hosterman, executor of, etc., of Israel Yonada, late of Haines township deceased.
4. The account of J. M. Garbrick, executor of, etc., of Henry J. Dunkle, late of Walker township deceased.
5. The second partial account of Henry Meyer, trustee of the estate of Henry Meyer, late of Miles township dec'd.
6. Final account of James P. Coburn, executor of, etc., of Daniel Reed, late of Haines township, deceased.
7. The account of John H. Miller, administrator of, etc., of John Schall, late of Ferguson township dec'd.
8. The first and final account of Clementine L. Iddings, administratrix of, etc., of James Iddings, late of Huston township dec'd.
9. The final account of Isaac A. Gates, administrator of, etc., of Solomon Gates, late of Ferguson township dec'd.
10. First and partial account of B. F. Shaffer and Samuel Martin, executors of, etc., of James Martin, late of Walker township dec'd.
11. The account of P. F Bottorf guardian of Franklin B Sample, late of Ferguson township dec'd.
12. The third partial account of Michael Hess, guardian of Margaret and Clara Knarr, minor child of Harrison Knarr, late of College township dec'd.
13. The first and final account of Clement Dale trustee appointed to sell the real estate of Nancy Hurst, late of Harris township dec'd.
14. The third and final account of Dr. P. T. Musser, administrator of, etc., of Jno. D Foote, late of Millheim borough dec'd.
15. The first and partial account of Thaddeus D. Stover, administrator of, etc., of Jacob W. Stover, late of Haines township dec'd.
16. The account of William and Levi A. Straub executors of, etc., of George Straub late of Benner township, dec'd., as filed by William Straub acting executor.
17. The account of J. Fearon Maun, administrator in Pennsylvania of, etc., of Thomas B. Morris, late of California, dec'd.
18. The first and final account of William Lucas, administrator of, etc., of A K. McMullen, late of Snow Shoe township, dec'd.
19. The account of Robert Valentine, guardian of, etc., of Wm. S. Keyes, minor child of Thomas C. Keyes, late of Union township dec'd.
20. The account of Robert Valentine, guardian of, etc., of John R. Keyes, a minor child of Thomas C. Keyes, late of Union township dec'd.
21. The account of John Holmes and Henry Whiteleather, administrators of, etc., of Jacob Whiteleather, late of Marion township deceased.
22. The account of A. W. Reese, executor of, etc., of Christian Reese, late of Patton township dec'd.
23. The final account of Isaac S. Frain, guardian of Sarah A. Loder a minor child of Margaret Loder, late of Marion township dec'd.
24. The account of A. H. Weaver, administrator of, etc., of Jonathan Weaver, late of Gregg township dec'd.
25. The account of Geo. W. Gingerich, executor of Jacob Gingerich, late of Potter township dec'd.
26. The second and final account of Lucinda Runkle, administratrix of, etc., of Hon. John K. Runkle, late of Potter township dec'd.
27. The account of Edmund Blanchard, executor of, etc., of Mrs. Adaline Harris, late of Bellefonte, deceased, as filed by Mary F. Blanchard, administratrix of, etc., of said Edmund Blanchard, deceased.
28. First and final account of E. R. Chambers, executor of, etc., of Elijah Chambers, late of Patton township dec'd.
29. The account of Henry E. Duck, administrator c. t. a. of, etc., of Michael Ney, late of Haines township dec'd.
30. The account of Jonathan Harter, administrator of, etc., of William Harter, late of Haines township dec'd.
31. First and final account of Barbara Long, administratrix of, etc., of George Long, late of Gregg township dec'd.
32. The first and partial account of John J. Arney and Benjamin Arney, executors of, etc., of Jacob Arney, late of Potter township dec'd.
33. The first and final account of George Dale, guardian of Mahala A. Garner, (now Grove,) a minor child of Daniel Garner, late of College township dec'd.
34. The account of D. A. Deitrick and John H. White, administrators of, etc., of John White, late of Walker township dec'd.
35. The 20th annual account of John Irwin, Jr. and Daniel Rhodes, surviving trustees of William A. Thomas, late of Bellefonte borough dec'd.
36. The first and final account of John B Linn and Samuel H Griffith, executors of, etc., of Mordecai Waddel, late of Spring township dec'd.

JAMES A. McCLAIN, Register.

Register's Office, Bellefonte, Pa., March 26, 1887.

AUDITOR'S STATEMENT

Of the Receipts and Expenditures of Borough of Centre Hall, Pa., for the year ending March 14, 1887.

1886. MOSES B. RICHARD, COLLECTOR BOROUGH TAX, DR.

Oct. 4.	To Boro Duplicate	$210 40	
1887, March 14.	To Balance	49 57	
			$210 40
1886.			CR.
Oct. 25.	By cash paid Treasurer	$100 69	
1887, Feb. 4.	" " "	37 96	
March 14.			
By 5 per cent. abatement on $111 27		5 56	
" 3 " commission on $111 27		3 33	
" 5 " commission on $40 29		2 01	
By exonerations and errors		11 28	
By balance		49 57	
			$210 40

1886. MOSES B. RICHARD, COLLECTOR POOR TAX DUPLICATE. DR.

Oct. 4.	To Duplicate	$205 96	
1887, March 14.	To balance	47 39	
			$205 96
1886, Oct. 23.			CR.
By cash paid Emanuel Smith		96 93	
1887 Feb. 4. By cash paid Emanuel Smith		39 21	
Mar. 14. By 5 per cent. abatement on $104 84		5 24	
By 3 per cent commission on $104 84		3 14	
By 5 per cent commission on $40 38		2 01	
By exonerations and errors		12 04	
By balance		47 39	
			$205 96

1886. JOHN SPANGLER, BOROUGH TREASURER. DR.

Jan. 11.	To cash supervisors Potter twp	$ 19 61
Oct. 25.	To cash M. B. Richard, collector	100 69
1887, February 8.	To cash M. B. Richard, collector	37 96
	To cash License Show	3 00
		$161 26
1887, March 14.		CR.
By Order No. 1, Street Com		$ 15 00
" " 2 "		60 00
" " 3, C. F. Deininger printing		3 00
" " 4, Street Com		25 00
By cash paid Auditors		58 26
		$161 26

1886. EMANUEL SMITH POOR OVERSEER OF BOROUGH, DR.

To cash Potter Township		$ 81 43
Oct. 23,	To cash M. B. Richard collector	96 93
1887, Feb. 4.	To cash M. B. Richard	39 21
		$217 57
1887, March 14.	To balance	3 68
1887, March 14.		CR.
By boarding Lewis Bottorf		$104 75
By clothing " "		15 02
By merchandise Wm. Tobias		30 42
By fuel " "		30 21
By beef and pork " "		18 39
By shaving " "		5 10
By services		10 00
By balance		3 68
		$217 57

JAMES LOHR, AUDITORS' TREASURER, DR.

1887, March 14.	To cash received from J Spangler	$ 58 26
		$ 58 26
1887, March 14		CR
By book		$ 4 50
By Auditor's clerk		1 00
By cash paid to E G Van Pelt, Treas		52 76
		$ 58 26

1887, March 14. MONEY UNCOLLECTED IN HANDS OF OFFICERS OF BOROUGH.

Am't of Borough tax, M B Richard col	$ 49 57
Am't of Poor tax, M B Richard col	47 39
Am't of Poor tax due from Eman. Smith	3 68

We, the undersigned, Auditors of the Borough of Centre Hall, having examined the above accounts, certify to the correctness of the same.

WM. B. MINGLE,
WM. P. SHOOP,
JAMES H. LOHR,
Auditors.

J. A. Reesman, Clerk.

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Two years ago this Summer I was sorely afflicted with rheumatism in my right knee and left shoulder, and was induced by a friend to try Athlophoros. I used five bottles, got well, and have been comparatively free from rheumatism since. I have great faith in it, and have recommended it to my friends. So far as I know all who have tried it speak its praise.

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DR. H. S. CLEMENS,

whose regular office is in Allentown, Pa will visit Bellefonte one a month and Centre Hall every two months, for the purpose of examining and prescribing for patients. Will visit Bellefonte March 8 & 9, 1887, from 6 p. m. Tuesday to 7 p. m. Wednesday; and Centre Hall on Thursday, March 10. Dr. Clemens is a graduate of the University of Pennsylvania, of 25 years experience, and practices largely by inhalations. Please send to office (Allentown, Pa.) for testimonials.
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ADMINISTRATORS NOTICE.—Letters of Administration upon the estate of Joseph Crotzer, deceased, late of Potter twp., having been lawfully granted to the undersigned they would respectfully request all persons knowing themselves to be indebted to the estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same to present the same duly authenticated for settlement.

AGNES CROTZER,
24feb6 Administratrix, Centre Hall.

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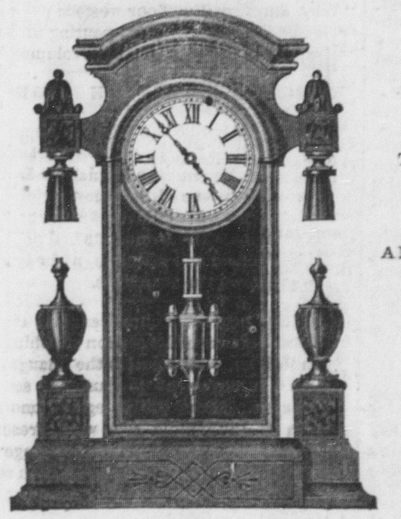

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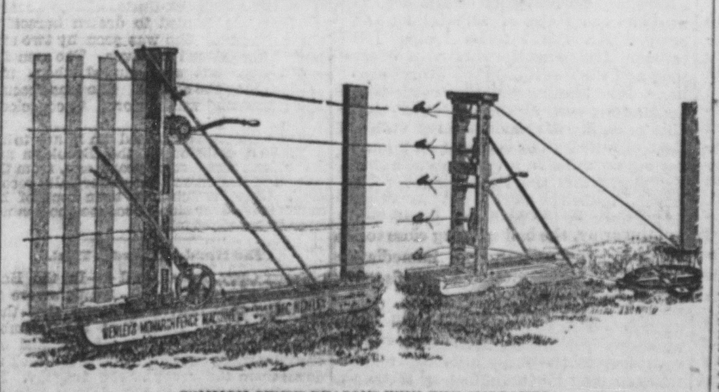

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6 Because any one, man or boy, can operate it, and there are no parts to get out of order and repair.
7 Because it is made of the best materials, and, with proper care, will last a life-time.
8 Because the price is within the reach of every farmer.
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		WESTWARD.		
ERIE MAIL	leaves	Philadelphia		11 25 p m
"	"	Harrisburg		3 30 a m
"	"	Montandon		5 56 a m
"	"	Williamsport		7 10 a m
"	"	Jersey Shore		7 35 a m
"	"	Lock Haven		7 58 a m
"	"	Renovo		8 50 a m
"	arr at	Erie		4 00 p m
NEWS EXPRESS	leaves	Philadelphia		4 30 a m
"	"	Harrisburg		8 10 a m
"	"	Montandon		10 12 a m
"	"	Williamsport		11 10 a m
"	arr at	Lock Haven		12 10 p m
NIAGARA EXP.	leaves	Philadelphia		7 40 a m
"	"	Harrisburg		11 25 a m
"	"	Montandon		1 14 a m
"	arr at	Williamsport		2 15 p m
"	"	Lock Haven		3 30 p m
"	"	Renovo		4 30 p m
"	"	Kane		8 35 p m
FAST. LINE	leaves	Philadelphia		11 50 p m
"	"	Harrisburg		3 45 p m
"	"	Montandon		5 54 p m
"	"	Williamsport		7 10 p m
"	"	Lock Haven		8 02 p m
"	arr at	Renovo		9 00 p m
		(Sunday Train.		
SUNDAY MAIL	leaves	Philadelphia		4 30 a m
"	"	Harrisburg		7 40 a m
"	"	Montandon		9 37 a m
"	"	Williamsport		10 40 a m
"	"	Lock Haven		11 33 a m
"	arrives	Renovo		12 30 p m
		EASTWARD.		
SEA SHORE EXP.	leaves	Lock Haven		7 05 a m
"	"	Jersey Shore		7 35 a m
"	"	Williamsport		8 15 a m
"	"	Montandon		9 17 a m
"	arr at	Harrisburg		11 20 a m
"	"	Philadelphia		3 15 p m
DAY EXPRESS	leaves	Kane		6 25 a m
"	"	Renovo		10 20 a m
"	"	Lock Haven		11 15 a m
"	"	Williamsport		12 20 p m
"	"	Montandon		1 22 p m
"	arr at	Harrisburg		3 13 p m
"	"	Philadelphia		6 50 p m
RENOVO AC'N	leaves	Renovo		4 05 p m
"	"	Lock Haven		5 05 p m
"	"	Williamsport		6 20 p m
"	"	Montandon		7 23 p m
"	arrives at	Harrisburg		9 30 p m
"	"	Philadelphia		4 25 a m

Sunday Train—RENOVO Accommod'n East runs also on Sunday.

ERIE MAIL	leaves	Erie	2 45 p m
"	"	Renovo	11 00 p m
"	"	Lock Haven	11 58 p m
"	"	Williamsport	1 25 a m
"	"	Montandon	2 27 a m
"	arr at	Harrisburg	4 30 a m
"	"	Philadelphia	8 25 a m

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1 40	10 25	6 05	Lewisburg	9 00	1 00	5 35
1 48		6 15	Biehl	8 51		5 22
1 56		6 22	Vicksburg	8 45		5 15
2 09		6 33	Mifflinburg	8 33		5 03
2 27		6 48	Millmont	8 18		4 48
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4 13		8 34	Gregg	6 43		2 53
4 23		8 45	Linden Hall	6 36		2 45
4 27		8 52	Oak Hall	6 30		2 37
4 30		8 56	Lemont	6 25		2 31
4 36		9 08	Dale Summit	6 20		2 25
4 45		9 14	Pleasant Gap	6 09		2 12
4 51		9 19	Axemann	6 04		2 05
5 55		9 25	Bellefonte	6 00		2 00

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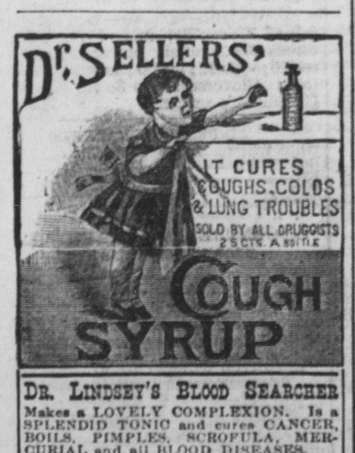

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THE DEAD GIRL'S REMAINS

Thousands Look at the Rahway Victim, but No One Knows Her.

RAHWAY, April 4—The murder puzzle becomes more intricate each day. Five thousand people have tried in vain to identify the dead girl, and clue after clue has been run down without result. The murderer is strongly suspected of being in Milton, that part of Rahway where the girl was found murdered with gaping knife wounds in her throat, but it is only speculation that places the murderer in the neighborhood. He is likely to be far away by this time. More than a week has passed since the crime was discovered, and the police admit that they have not yet a single tangible piece of evidence to work upon.

William Brunt, who is next door neighbor to William Keech, and who has been trying to have Keech arrested as the murderer said that if Keech was not arrested by the Rahway police he would arrest Keech himself. Chief Tooker has no faith in Brunt's insinuation against Keech, and not much regard for Brunt himself. Brunt is on the coroner's jury, and also a witness in the case. Detective Gregory of New Brunswick shares Brunt's suspicion against Keech, and it was reported that Gregory, not having been able to obtain a warrant in Rahway for Keech's arrest, had returned to New Brunswick for one. He said if he got it Keech would be arrested. The local police wished it understood that if Keech was arrested they had nothing to do with it.

Chief of Police Tooker received this despatch.

BRIDGETON, April 4, 1887.

I can identify the woman, and also greatly aid in tracing the murderer.

THOMAS CLINTON.
Care of Mayor J. Depois.

To-day the body was on public exhibition for the last time at Ryno & Marsh's undertaking rooms. The clothing in which it was found was put on a lay figure, and the knife, the basket of broken eggs, the parasol, the black bag and contents, and the girl's jewelry were on view beside the coffin. Everybody was invited to go and see the body and examine the things and thousands did so. The girl was probably a Dane, Swede, or Norwegian. At least a hundred Danes have recognized her nationality from her clothing, some of which, they have said, was made in the old country.

Expelled from Alsace-Lorraine.

PARIS, April 2.—M. Antoine a protesting delegate to the Reichstag from Metz, has been expelled by the German government from Alsace-Lorraine and conducted to the frontier. His expulsion has caused a profound sensation here. It is regarded as a fresh provocation intended to exasperate France and induce the French people to commit some act of retaliation which might be declared beyond toleration.

Attacked by Bulgarian Refugees.

BUCHAREST, April 2.—Three Bulgarian refugees, one of whom is a brother of a man under condemnation for participation in the recent insurrection, attacked the prefect of Rustchuk, whom they met in one of the streets of this city. They fired at him with revolvers, wounding him, and then fled. Two of them were overtaken and imprisoned, but the other escaped by taking refuge in the Russian legation.

Accusing Sir John Macdonald.

TORONTO, April 4.—A petition has been filed in the high court of justice against the election of Sir John Macdonald, premier of the Dominion government, charging him personally with having bribed voters to elect him in Kingston at the elections in February. The case is to be tried at the court of appeals soon. The action is taken by G. Todds of Kingston.

Hanging the Czar's Enemies.

BERLIN, April 4.—Three persons who were concerned in the attempt to assassinate the czar by means of bombs in St. Petersburg, on March 13, have been hanged. Twenty more officers in various branches of the service have been arrested in connection with the attempt made against the life of the czar in the park of the Gatschina palace on Tuesday last.

Queen Victoria at Cannes.

LONDON, April 2.—The queen has arrived at Cannes. Her majesty drove from the railway station to the Villa Edelweiss in an open carriage with outriders. She was escorted by a guard of honor, a force of mounted gendarmes, and the Cannes fire bridade.

The Cruise of the Dauntless.

QUEENSTOWN, April 2.—The Dauntless has sailed for Southampton, where she will be overhauled prior to going on a cruise along the coast of Norway. She will afterwarrd visit the Azores, and then proceed for home.

Collapse of a Roman Amphitheatre.

VIENNA, April 4.—The fine Roman amphitheatre at Pola, in Austria, on the Adriatic suddenly collapsed and fell into an immense chasm which opened on the site. From this chasm vapors are emitted.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

NEW YORK, April 3.—Money on call 5 and 6 per cent.

		Closing Yesterday.	Closing To-day.
4½s,	1891, reg	109¾	109¾
4½,	1891, con	109¾	109¾
4s,	1907, reg	128½	128½
4s,	1907, con	129½	129½

STOCK MARKET.

The stock market showed marked strength to-day. Southern stocks particularly were buoyant, and specialities showed advances. The last hour of the dealings was the busiest of the day and the strongest. No bad news was heard from any quarter. The practical working of the Interstate-State Commerce bill is no longer a bugbear in speculative circles.

CLOSING PRICES.

	Closing Yesterday	Closing To-day
Canadian Pacific	61½	62½
Chicago, Bur. & Q	139¾	140¾
Central Pacific	39½	39¾
Del. & Hudson	101¾	101¾
Del. Lack. & W	134½	134¾
Erie	31½	31½
Erie pref	72¾	73½
Lake Shore	95¾	95¾
Louis. & Nash	67¾	67¾
Michigan Central	92½	93
Missouri Pacific	108¼	108¾
N. Y. & New Eng	64¾	64½
N. J. Central	73½	74¾
N. Y. Cent. & Hud	112¾	112¾
Northwestern	130¾	131¼
Oregon Navigation	102	102
Pacific Mail	55½	55¾
Reading	39	39½
Rock Island	125	127¾
St. Paul	91¾	92¾
Union Pacific	66½	67¾
West. Union Tel	72	77½

PRODUCE MARKET.

Wheat—Dull closing steady.
Corn—Quiet closing strong.
Oats—Easier and firmer.

	Apr.	May	June.
Wheat	——	93¾	92¾
Corn	48¾	49¾	49¾
Oats	34¾	34¾	34¾

MERCHANTILE EXCHANGE.

Butter—Market barely steady. Creamery—Eastern 30@32½c.; Western 24c.@30. Dairy—Imitation, 22c.@25.; eastern, half-firkin tubs, 22c.@24c.; eastern, prints, 16c.@18c.; western, 16c.@18. Factory—Fresh, 23c.@25c.; low grades 5c.@7c.

Cheese—Market steady. Factory—New York, cheddar, 11¼c@¼ Creamery—New York, part skims, 11¼c.@12 c.

Eggs—Market barely steady. Fresh—Eastern firsts, 14¾@15c.; western firsts 14¼c.@14¾c.

Hogs at Chicago, $5.90 and $5.95 against $5.00 and $5.95 Friday.

THE TEXAS DROUTH.

Special telegrams received from Texas, the past week, indicate the prevalence of a drought throughout the state, affecing the agricultural as well as the live stock interests. The drouth may be said to bea continuation of last year's dry spell, as no general rains have fallen throughout the interior since last September. Along the coast the cotton is up, but in some places has been damaged by frost. Winter wheat in central and north Texas is suffering for want of rain.

TRIAL LIST.

FIRST WEEK.

Sarah W Ayers vs Jerome Speigelmyer, agt
E J Purdue vs W L Woodcock.
Supervisors of Harris township vs Bellefonre and Boalsburg Turnpike Company.
John Brian vs Andrew Ocker.
Lazarus Moyer vs John A McOmber.
D D Woods vs S R Pringle.
Christian Strong vs John A Weaver.
E J Pruner, use of, vs the Poor Dis. of Bellefonte Borough.
Jos. Adams vs the Overseers of Poor of Twp. of Boggs.
County of Centre vs D A Musser.
P J Fagan vs C T Fryberger.
M. Bingaham vs Harry Curtin.
Harriet P Korman et al, vs Penn'a R R Co.
J D Gardner vs Jas Gunsallis.
Isaac Bame's administrators vs Christian Bame's executors.

Chicago is having another trouble. A telegram of 3 says: Six thousand five hundred carpenters employed by various contractors and shop owners throughout the city and suburbs will cease work tomorrow and building operations in this county will be suspended indefinitely The leaders of the carpenters, who after a long struggle last summer failed to carry out their demands for eight hours and an increase of wages, decided then to renew the contest, and think that now when building enterprise is reviving and carpenters are wanted, the time has come to make employers yield.

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No one has yet been selected to fill the pulpit in Plymouth Church as successor to Henry Ward Beecher. A member of the church says that the Rev. Dr. John R. Paxton, of that city would probably better fill the pulpit left vacant by the death of Mr. Beecher than any one heretofore named in that connection.

ANOTHER ART CRAZE.

The latest art work among ladies is known as the "French Craze," for decorating china, glassware, etc. It is something entirely new, and is both profitable and fascinating. It is very popular in New York, Boston and other Eastern cities. To ladies desiring to learn the Art, we will send an elegant china plaque (size 18 inches,) handsomely decorated, for a model, together with a box of material, 100 colored designs assorted in flowers, animals, soldiers, landscapes, etc., complete, with full instructions, upon receipt of only $1.00. The plaque alone is worth more than the amount charged. To every lady ordering this outfit who encloses the address of five other ladies interested in Art matters, to whom we can mail our new catalogue of Art Goods, we will enclose extra and without charge, an imitation hand-painted brass plaque. Instruction book in painting, 16 colored pictures &c., only 15c. Embroidery Silk, best quality, all colors, 80c per 100 skeins. Tinsel Braid, gold or silver, for art embroidery and needle work, large ball, only 15c. Macrame Cord, white, 50c per lb; any color, 60c per lb. Other goods at equally low prices. Address,

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Emanuel Brown,	"	"
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James Passmore,	"	"
John A McOmber,	"	"
S B Row,	"	"
John Ramsdale,	"	"
William Parker,	"	"
John West,	"	"
Thomas W Whitton,	"	"
D J Meyer,	"	Centre Hall Boro
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H G Shafer,	"	"
Alvis Kohibecker,	"	Boggs Twp
D H Ruhl,	"	Gregg "
John H Bibby,	"	"
Samuel Long,	Saloon,	"
Thos G Edmunds,	Tavern,	Haines Twp
Joseph Kleckner,	"	Penn Twp
John Odenkirk,	"	Potter Twp
Mary C Nolan,	"	Snow Shoe Twp
John G Uzzle,	"	"
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COURT PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS, the Hon. A. O. Furst, President of the Court of Common Pleas of the 49th Judicial District, consisting of the counties of Centre and Huntingdon, and the Hon. Chester Munson and the Hon. James R. Smith, Associate Judges in Centre county, having issued their precept, bearing date the 7th day of February, 1887, to me directed, for holding a Court of Oyer and Terminer and General Jail Delivery and Quarter Sessions of the Peace in Bellefonte, for the county of Centre, and to commence on the 4th Monday of April, being the 25th day of April, 1887, and to continue two weeks. Notice is hereby given to the Coroner, Justices of the Peace, Aldermen and Constables of said county of Centre, that they be then and there in their proper persons, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of the 25th, with their records, inquisitions, examinations, and their own remembrances, to do those things which to their office appertain to be done, and those who are bound in recognizances to prosecute against the prisoners that are or shall be in the jail of Centre county, be then and there to prosecute against them as shall be just.

And notice is further given that a special session of said court for the trial of special causes will be held commencing Monday, March 21st of which all persons interested are hereby notified.

Given under my hand, at Bellefonte, the 10th day of March, in the year of our Lord 1887, and the one hundred and twelfth year of the Independence of the United States.

W. MILES WALKER, Sheriff.

Good Women.

God bless good women! For they fill
The world with noble cheer!
How sweet their presence and their skill
To suffering souls appear!
Oh, who but knows their kindly aid,
When on the bed of anguish laid?
Their gentle voices hope impart,
And vivify the wasting heart,
While their sott hands soothe down the pain,
That racks the body and the brain!

God bless good women! They alone
Become the best of wives;
Their love about our hearts is thrown
To gladden all our lives—
To fill the home with comforts bright,
With smiling peace and all delight;
To make our welcome warm and sure,
With love's endearments sweet and pure,
And prove how near to heav'n is this
Fair scene of earth's domestic bliss!

God bless good women! For they make
Good mothers everywhere;
And bless our country for their sake,
And for the sons they bear!
For through the years that shall dawn
As through the years that are gone,
Good mothers' children in our land,
Shall high in trust and honor stand,
True sons and daughters, born to be
The "Guard and Hope of Liberty!"

THE CAPTAIN'S PROBATION.

I went to the Manor to look after Lady Pardock's boy. He was seven years old; a sturdy, bold boy; independent, but as obedient as I have never seen a lad so young. His mother's word was enough; he did as he was bidden without questioning or fretfulness. Lady Pardock was a widow. Among the party was Captain Armstrong, of the navy and the Captain and the young heir become great friends. Lady Pardock seemed to despise the Captain a little. She was a fine, handsome woman; tall, well-made and well dressed.

She and Henry, another guest, were good friends. She was interested in his mining and was quite as ready to go down in the mine as she was to sail in Mr. Hemphill's yacht, the Firefly.

"You are, of course, a great traveler, Captain Armstrong?" she said one day to the sailor.

"No," he replied carelessly. "I have been around the world not much in it. A sailor sees a good deal, and there is something worth seeing occasionally, too"

"Have you ever been in a battle?" she asked again.

"Never, I am thankful to say," he replied.

"You are surely—not—serious?" she said.

"I am quite serious—I dread battle! Of course I should fight if I had to do so—but I trust I never shall."

"I wonder you entered the navy, Captain Armstrong," she half sneered. "You should have been a Quaker."

"It was not my own choice, Lady Pardock," he answered.

"He would make an excellent country parson," she remarked to her neighbor, Captain Martyn-Henry; and very soon afterward the ladies left the dining-room. From that time Lady Pardock seemed to think the sailor what Charley calls "a muff."

One day we started to Ludworth Cove. They all had heard of it, but few had ever been there. The wind was blowing briskly from the southeast—a favorable quarter, and, as Mr. Hemphill said, "If it does veer to the southwest, all the better; it will bring us home the faster."

"Won't you come, Armstrong?" asked Mr. Hemphill.

"No," thank you, "I don't care much for sailing. Besides, you are quite enough in that craft without me. I should only prove a Jonah."

"Why, do you think a storm will come on?"

"It does not look like settled weather, I must say," replied the Captain cautiously. But you can always scud, you know!"

"Thank you," replied Hemphill. "But, seriously, Lady Pardock, if you fear—"

"Fear! I fear? No; I think Captain Armstrong is afraid. Let us go Mr. Hemphill." He at once gave the word to shove off. The yacht was lying at a little distance out, as the tide was low. So we went on board whither Mrs. Cardewe had already proceeded. Captain Armstrong had merely taken off his hat when Lady Pardock referred to him so contemptuously. But I knew quite well she respected his nature, and his cool firmness, for all her coldness to him. I was certain she thought of what he said, for more than once I had heard her talking to her boy, and he told her what his friend, the Captain, had bidden him to do. Lady Pardock always agreed with her son on these occasions. So when we reached the yacht she spoke to the sailing-master and asked him what he thought of the weather.

"Fair and square, my Lady; I think it will change afore night, but, so far, I see nothing to be alarmed about."

"Perhaps the boy had better go ashore," said Mr. Cardewe.

"Nonsense!" said Mr. Hemphill. "Mrs. Farmer wants a sail as well as ourselves. Let the lad remain. You'd like the sea, Sir Jocelyn?"

"Oh, yes!" he laughed; "I love the sea!"

That decided the question. I remained, and we were soon under weigh, rushing down the coast in the direction of Portland Bill. Captain Armstrong watched us for awhile; and then, waving his hat as a farewell, turned up the path toward the Manor.

He encountered Charley, my husband, and the old fisherman on the way, and stopped, as sailors like to talk with sailors.

Shortly after Captain Armstrong announced that he was going over to Weymouth.

"I wonder you didn't go in the Firefly, then," remarked Miss Paradys.

"If I had, there would have been nobody to take them dry clothes," remarked the sailor-captain.

"Dry clothes! What do you mean? You don't pretend to say there will be rain this afternoon with this wind?" cried Captain Martyn-Henry. "Why, its a lovely day."

"So it is," acquiesced the sailor, "but fine days do not last forever. Do you see those long white wisps of clouds? Do you see that dark line to windward, and the bank of clouds in the southwest? The wind is in those clouds; it will blow from the southwest before night, and, with this ripple and a tide, raise a nice surf on the Chesil Bank. That's about the only bank in England on which I do not care for a check."

Captain Armstrong ordered some dry clothes for the ladies, greatly to the amusement of the maid who packed them in the portmanteau.

While these preparations were being made, the quiet captain sauntered on, telling the others to pick him up at Farmer's cottage. Charley, my husband, was at home.

"I think your a sensible young fellow, Farmer," said the sailor. "Just put a few of your wife's things in a carpet bag or a box; and I'll take them to Weymouth. The yacht will get wet, I expect." Charley was not so much surprised, as he had been talking with Barnes the fisherman. But he said—

"I'll bring them over, sir, thank you heartily."

"No, come with us. You can sit with Roberts. Make haste. Have you any clothes line ready?"

"Clothes-line!" exclaimed Charley "Plenty."

"Then bring it. Bring all you have. It will do to tie up the other bundles" he muttered.

Charley's preparations had scarcely been completed when the wagonette came in sight.

"Here you are then!" exclaimed Captain Henry; "you seem determined to bring luggage enough."

"Just a change all around," was the reply. "All right!"

The coachman touched his horses gently with the whip, and off they started. The breeze was strong, but inland the people were sheltered. It was different with us in the Firefly.

We got on very well for a while; the breeze was rather behind us, and sent us dashing along beautifully. By degrees, however, the yacht began to plunge deeper and deeper. The sea got up, and broke on board frequently. I didn't care, as I was accustomed to salt war, and I minded the boy.

Lady Pardock came and stood by me. "I think Captain Armstrong was right, Mrs. Farmer," she said. "I heard the master tell Mr. Hemphill that the wind was veering to the southwest." At that moment Mr. Hemphill came up with Mrs. Cardewe, who was glad to lie back in the stern of the yacht and be covered with shawls and tarpaulins. She looked wretched.

"I think that it will be more prudent to run for Weymouth at once," said Mr. Hemphill. 'If we put into Ludworth—supposing we can make the entrance, which is doubtful—we can get no real accommodation. Now at Weymouth we can, and there are the train and the telegraph, plenty of shops, and so on."

The ladies agreed to the suggestion, and the yacht was headed for Portland Bill. Even Lady Pardock had had enough of the sea water before sunset. The waves dashed in and forced us to go below. The wind rose, as one who remembers that afternoon in September will recollect. It got fierce by five o'clock and positively boisterous by six. Great waves rolled up from the southwest, and we plunged fearfully into the sea. We had only a jib on her, and two reefs in the mainsail were taken in.

Nevertheless we plunged on to windward, for the captain did not dare to turn now and "scud." We tacked and tacked, beating until the sun went down and we did not seem to be much nearer Weymouth or Portland Roads, for which we were aiming. From Portland Island the great Chesil Beach, I knew, and so did all the sailors, extended right away to Bridgeport, where the mighty Portland stones have dwindled through all shapes and sizes of pebbles to sand and gravel; and the biggest always the highest up the bank.

The captain or sailing-master, was brave enough, but anxious; the crew were sturdy; the gentlemen on board were serious; the ladies very ill and quite careless of danger. The little heir was fast asleep in my arms, and as we heeled over and listened to the slapping and dashing of the waves outside and the rush of water across the deck, I prayed earnestly and wondered whether we should ever see Cardewe Manor again.

It was evening and we were past Portland Bill. The captain said we must go about and run in on the tide to make all the leeway up. The wind was dead on shore. The waves beat high upon the Chesil Bank, and if I could do some fine writing I could tell you about the curling tops of the masses of water which poured on the shingle. But that was nothing to the next day's sea. That I shall never forget.

The Firefly had been sighted and considerable anxiety had been expressed about her. Little did I think that among the people who were watching us were Charley and Captain Armstrong, in fear for the result. Charley told me afterward that the captain was as cool as ever, and apparently afraid of getting wet; so he hired a cab and drove down through Weymouth to the Island, leaving Mr. and Mrs. Martyn-Henry at the hotel to receive the party if they ran alongside the pier safely.

The evening was deepening into a blustering and stormy night, as Charley and Captain Armstrong drove to Portland, and our yacht was driving on. We were still below when the easier motion of the yacht, consequent on our running before the wind, induced us to go on deck. Behind us was a limitless tumbling sea, dark clouds and rain; in front the Chesil bank, the island with its quarries and its prisoners, and the smooth waters of the roads beyond. In an hour or so we should be riding alongside the pier or in the harbor or pulling ashore to catch the train home. So we said!

But how is this? We are not going for the harbor direct! Yes, we are—what is that behind us?—a roar, then a flash, and, another roar. Blow, blow, good wind, ere the storm overtake us, or we shall fare badly. Flap! flap. The wind has suddenly failed us. "We are in the centre of a little cyclone!" So said the captain.

"Bear a hand, men; we shall be taken aback in a minute!" shouted the master, rushing to the tiller. "Furl, all—up with her—leave the jib alone, clew up the mainsail, smart?"

No time to lose. Flap! Boom comes the wind from the northeast with a rush. The Firefly heels over like a toy; the jib strains. "Up with the helm!" The canvas splits with a fearful rending, ripping report, and the yacht drives upon Portland.

"Steady men! All hands out of the dinghy! Remember the women and the child! Bend the foresail. Let her run!" roared the master. The yacht paid off, and turning her back on the sea, rushed down channel—alas into a tide-eddy, which sucked under the rocks of Portland Island as the wind veered again.

The soldiers at the Verne by this time were crowded upon the cliffs to see the "wreck." Some shouted for ropes, some for rockets, but neither were forthcoming. The yacht drove in, and in five minutes ran between two rocks, where (the wind having chopped again to the southwest) she remained stern to sea—frequently swept by the waves, and apparently with only a few minutes to live. We were screaming and in the most terrible distress. Lady Pardock alone said not a single word. She took her child from my arms and said:

"Mrs. Farmer, try and save yourself when the time comes, Jocelyn and I will die together."

"Mamma, I am very hungry. May I have some tea soon?" whimpered Jocelyn.

The mother kissed him passionately. Tears came into my eyes as I remembered my own children and Charley. Was this death?

Mr. Hemphill did all he could to cheer us. "They will find a rocket and we can reach the rocks there on the beach. It is not so rough here as yonder. We are lucky," he said.

Lucky! I thought. Lucky to die in two minntes or less when the yacht begins to break up?

Mr. Cardewe and his wife were standing hand in hand, pale but firm. They had been praying; I had prayed too. The light was dying out. A black figure was seen upon the beach. If he could swim out that fifty yards or so he might bring us some assistance. The master shook his head.

"There's no swimmer in Dorset as will do it. It's possible. I've seen men in the Pacific swim as bad bits, but there's not ten men in this country would try it."

The figure came near and stood by the cliff in a place opposite the wreck. Three men were behind him on a ledge—holding a rope—he intended to come out then! Hurrah!

He plunged from a rock into deep seething water which broke over his head. He was gone! No! He reappeared beyond the wave; he had gone through it and was making progress toward the yacht, steadily. We could not bear to look at him. It seemed as if he must be dashed to pieces; but he had made his way out, and, after a terrible struggle under the yacht's bow, was hauled in, bleeding, dripping, half naked and with a strong line around his waist.

A cheer! another; a scream from Lady Pardock. The very last person she had expected to see had done this thrice-gallant feat—Captain Armstrong, who she had hinted was a coward. A coward!

There was no time for complaints. The men ashore had gained the beach and had already attached a rope to the line. The rope was hauled on board, a basket and whip were quickly attached and the basket traveled across, deluged at times by the waves but securely. The first person to venture was Mrs. Cardewe. By general consent she went first, and was landed dripping but in safety. Lady Pardock refused to go without her boy; but Captain Armstrong said: 'Trust him to me. I will answer for his life with my own!"

She smiled at him and gave him her hand. He clasped it. She kissed her child, bidding him remain with Captain Armstrong. Sir Jocelyn said never a word. He acquiesced silently and clung to his preserver tightly. The basket was sent away safely; then I went, and was clasped in Charley's arms. I fainted.

Everybody was saved. Captain Armstrong quitted the wreck last but one and delivered the child to his mother, who was waiting, tearless, oblivious of the wind and rain and sea, while he was carried across. And this man she had said, was afraid! And I! Well, I say nothing now. Dry clothes and a welcome to the barracks were within reach; and in a couple of hours, after great kindness from the governor of the prison and the soldiers, we were enabled to proceed into Weymouth. That night the wind was terrible, and the Firefly was knocked to pieces at high water on the Chesil Bank on Monday morning; I went down and saw her broken up.

We remained at Weymouth until Monday, and then all returned to Cardewe Manor exeept myself, Captain Armstrong, Lady Pardock, and Sir Jocelyn. The lad could not bear to part with his friend who had rescued him and had told him so many nice stories.

"I must go, my boy," the captain said; "I am afraid—I mean—I am obliged to go."

"Oh, Captain Armstrong, can you ever forgive me!" cried Lady Pardock tearfully. "I beg your pardon most humbly for so misrepresenting you."

"My dear Lady Pardock, please say no more. I am really glad that I was enabled to render you a service."

"A service I can never repay," she said. "Now Jocelyn, go with Mrs. Farmer." For once the child paused. Then he said.

"I want Captain Armstrong to stay with us always, mamma. We have plenty of money for us all and such a big house. Will you come?' he cried.

"I am afraid I cannot go for long, Jocelyn," said he "not for always."

"Why not?" said Lady Pardock suddenly. Then the blood rushed to her face, for she perceived what construction might be placed upon her words. She motioned me to leave the room and then I went out with Sir Jocelyn until rain came on, when I came back.

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"Captain Armstrong is going to be my new papa," cried Sir Jocelyn that evening as he rushed into my room. "Is it not splendid? Now he will tell me plenty of tales. Mamma is glad, too for she kissed him when he said he would stay with us, and she never kisses anyone but me."

This was satisfactory! Next day Captain Armstrong and Lady Pardock came to the Manor, and drove up in the new omnibus alone. I came in a cab with the heir and the luggage, and there were great rejoicings when the engagement was announced at Cardewe Manor.

"So you cared for him all the time, dear?" said Mrs. Cardewe to Lady Pardock.

"I did," replied the radiant young widow. "He is the best and bravest man in the world."

OUR SEALS AND COINS.

A Protest Against National Outrages Upon Heraldic Art.

"J. Goldsborough Bruff," as he signs himself, has invited the attention of congress to the "unprecedented irregularities" and "absurdities" of the heraldic devices adopted for seals and coins by this government.

Mr. Bruff explains that owing to a lack of knowledge this government made a false start. The art of heraldry was unknown in this country's infancy, he says, and standard works were unattainable. "In consequence thereof the new republic was unable to obtain a proper device for its national signet until July 20, 1782, and the device then adopted of admirable symbolism, is a baseless fabric, not being blazoned upon an escutcheon or shield, and hence we have never had a national escutcheon of heraldic arms, unprecedented in the annals of heraldry. Being thus deprived of that basis, the requisite of all heraldic achievements, the government utilized a subcharge of the arms proper, and as popularly denominated the national shield or escutcheon, which it is not nor ever can be."

Having no genuine escutcheon, no basis or standard to start with, this government has gradually collected an accumulation of designs which Mr. Bruff characterizes as "ranging from indifferent and peculiar to absurd." He goes on to say:

"All nations of the civilized world save our own have enstamped upon their gold and silver coinage the true heraldic arms of their individual sovereignity, and with strict numismatic propriety exclude irrelevant, fanciful ideas. 'The American bald eagle' is displayed in every conceivable attitude and position, and degenerated to numerous species of the United States mint genius.

"The peculiar style of distributing the elements of the national arms over the faces of the coin, including mottoes and legends unregardful of significant propriety, is a remarkable art exhibition of the genius of our free institutions. Compare the dignified propriety represented in the devices upon some of the earlier coinage: Observe, a classic bust with legend 'Liberty,' and reverse, the national arms as adopted, which compare with the handsome female head filleted 'Liberty,' though crowned with grain, etc., as if also to represent the goddess Ceres or Abundance, doubtless a multifold genius, as the motto overhead would intimate, 'E pluribus unum.' Upon close examination a small cap is seen amid the redundant ringlets apparently falling off. Reverse, a crucified eagle (severely) 'displayed,' minus 'the escutcheon on his breast,' or the eagle volant (without its appropriate motto, 'Excelsior'). As though disgusted with his vicissitude and general bad treatment by the ruling powers he has discarded his 'shield of the Union,' olive branch and three arrows (typical we suppose of thirteen) and ascends to the starry regions of purity and truth. (The square, heavy perspective is good, but why extend his legs, as storks and herons do?)

"In another issue an enraged eagle has discovered the discarded 'American shield' pro trate in the weeds, and having picked up the arrows and branch pounces upon the debased escutcheon, warning off the despoilers. Mottoes become legends, and legends mottoes. The Goddess of Liberty, duly labeled, rests herself upon a rock, with staff and cap and escutcheon, but looks back apprehensive of some mishap. This is another phase of the ever varying obverse. Reverse of which may be one variety (there are several of them) of the lame eagle: dexter wing horizontally extended, and sinister, or left, nearly closed and vertical, and the usual distribution of stars, mottoes, etc. The latest absurdity, so eminently puritanical, not in keeping with the times, unauthorized by enactment, is the Gothic legend between the wings of the crucified eagle of 'In God we trust.'

"Out patriotic fathers put their trust in God and kept their powder dry. Oliver Cromwell had engraved upon some bronze guns 'Teach us to shower forth thy praise, O, Lord.' Too lengthy for our coin, but so applied more beneficent—in diffusion of wealth. The most appropriately consistent device for embellishment of the coin of our country would be—obverse: A bust of the laureated head of the Father of His Country, with motto of Liberty. Reverse: The precise heraldic arms of the United States of America, and no other steller ornament than the constellation crest, and no other legend than the title, value and date, and motto of arms. Such would be creditable to our nationality, and place us among the most favored nations of Christendom."

Love and Noses.

Among the South Sea Islanders the nose is made to be a medium of expression of affection and amity. Tribes swearing everlasting peace seal the compact with a promiscuous rubbing of noses against noses; by the same frictional process maidens declaim their woes at parting and joy on reunion with other maidens, the action being attended by—so said an eye witness—"the shedding of a power of tears." Lovers make their amatory declarations through their noses, their courtship being a protracted series of rub-rub-rubbing of nose to nose.

—The old reptile and insect forms, so popular this season, occasionally take decidedly realistic forms. A necklace was recently seen the clasp of which was a huge green frog, while the several links were formed of long-tailed tadpoles. A pin for the hair, equally pre-Raphaelistic, is composed of a bunch of cherries, on one of which a slug is resting, a trail of slime being plainly marked behind it.

FASHION NOTES.

—A very stylish dress of blue faille was trimmed with brown-embroidered satin edged with beads. The bows and pointed belt were of blue ribbon velvet.

—Printed muslins will be made the same way, very slightly draped over an underskirt of silk or satinet, made quite plain. Some few models have puffed out sleeves, but the greater number have tight sleeves, finished with a bracelet of ribbon and bow with short ends.

—Gowns of sprigged muslin delaines and other light fancy woolens are made with a bodice similar to the above, only the tunic is simply continued from the waist downward; the front overlapping the back part at the side and being slightly draped over a gathered skirt. Round waist with a sash or belt. The edge of the tunic is scalloped out and embroidered.

—A very pretty gown for a young lady was made with a skirt and bodice of sage-green diagonal cross-warp serge; the overskirt, revers, collar and cuffs were of vicuna striped with red. Another had a skirt and bodice of biscuit delaine, printed with shades of green; drapery and vest of plain biscuit delaine, yoke and cuffs of green velvet.

—With all light materials the bodice gathered like a chemisette on to a band round the neck will be very fashionable, but becoming only to ladies with slight figures. Those who, on the contrary, are gifted with rather too much of a figure will still adhere to the plain bodice peaked in front. This style is renovated by the various styles of shoulder-pieces now in fashion, and of which we have already given a description. The pointed shoulder-piece in particular makes the figure look much slighter.

—Pretty spring costumes are made of grisaille material and composed of a tunic and underskirt. The bodice is gathered round the neck and waist, and fastened on the left side with a row of fancy brocade galloon in gray or silver or gold. The tunic is draped into two small paniers on each side and a pouf at the back. A belt trimmed with the brocaded galloon is fastened at the waist with an oval gold or silver buckle, and thence falls into two lapels in the middle. The underskirt is plaited in flat, wide plaits.

—A very rich dinner dress has a narrow plaiting at the bottom of the skirt of electric blue sicilienne, then a deep plaiting of cream India silk. The Vandyked overskirt is of electric blue velvet. The drapery is of electric blue sicilienne, fastened on the hip with old silver ornaments; electric blue velvet bodice, with gauged underbodice of cream India silk. The lower parts of the sleeves are of velvet, with old silver ornaments. Another very stylish dress is of biscuit and red striped silk The overskirt is of geranium-red glace silk, with fan-shaped plaiting of velvet. The side panel and bodice are of the stripe, the vest and sleeves of silk, with collars, cuffs and bows of velvet. One of green glace silk had a panel and bodice trimming of terra-cotta brocade, trimmed with chenille and cord fringe.

—Among the unique and beautiful devices at a celebrated lapidary's are shown some exquisite small flowers formed of diamonds, pearls, opals, turquoises and other rare stones. They are made to wear as brooches, necklets, pendants and other ornaments. These curiosities of modern fashion are so attractive, but also so very expensive, that handsome imitations of them set in the finest gold are also offered, the copies being made of mock opals, "French" rubies, diamond chippings and rhinestones. There are devices of these in the shape of roses, lilies and star, flowers, bangle bracelets with sprays of forget-me-nots, and tiny rosebuds in pale pink cameo overlaid with Irish brilliants forming leaves. Necklaces are also shown with triangles, points, and blocks which fit snugly around the throat, and odd dog-collars in old silver set with "electric" diamonds. There are also stylish ornamonts which are made to resemble military decorations, straps, gerlots in fine silver and gold filigree and delicate chatelaines and chatelaine appendages in both mordern and antique designs.

—The lighter qualities of woolen dress goods are exquisitely soft and fine, and come in the favorite armure, chuddah, camel's-hair and debeige weaves. The colors range from the dark shades, with which we have been familiar during the winter, to very light tints; and although designated as new, there are many that are identical with last season's colors, being new only in name. The lighter shades of brown, gray in all shades, and heliotrope are especially popular at present. After the ecru and Suede tints, a golden brown called dore, has the preference. Russian gray, with deep bluish tints, appears in even the lighter fabrics; and porcelain and navy blue are very fashionable. Russet green is the favorite dark shade of that color, a brownish green is called eucalyptus; absinthe is a yellow green; and other shades are known as reseda, rush, sage and pistache, each of which is aptly described by its name. The serpent shades of last winter are again presented, and the various mahogany and terra-cotta shades remain popular.

—A lovely and rather unique dinner dress has a bodice and plaited panel of burnt sienna and gold-color brocade, the drapery of corn-colored faille, the chemisette of cream-colored lace, and a spray of brown leaves on the right side of the skirt and in the hair. The next has an underskirt of coral-pink ottoman covered with cream lace. The bodice and drapery is also of coral-pink ottoman. A plaiting of Indian-silk extends from the left shoulder to the right side of the waist, and is fastened at the shoulder with a bow; chemisette of cream lace; ivy spray in the left side of the skirt. Another has an underskirt and bodice of olive-green striped fancy silk. The plaited front and tunic are of pink silk, collar band and stripe down the front of bodice of olive surah. This one has an underskirt of cream striped silk, the bodice and tunic of popy-red striped silk; revers and trimming on tunic of poppy-red velvet; plastron of plaited Indian muslin.

HORSE NOTES.

—Freeland's work has all been at a trot, and he trots sound.

—Jerome I. Case and Messrs. Veech and Broadhead are in California.

—Crit Cavis, the well-known trainer and driver, never works his horses on Sunday.

—The citizens of Atlanta, Ga., have subscribed to a scheme for building a Fair grounds and race track.

—Walter Gratz's colt Elkwood, now at Memphis, has thrown out a splint and has been stopped in his work.

—L. J. Rose, of San Gabriel, Cal., will send a consignment of trotting stock to New York to be sold early in May.

—Ira E. Bride, the well-known pool-seller, has arrived at New Orleans from California, where he has spent most of the winter.

—Colonel Duncan F. Kenner, President of the Louisville Jockey Club, occupies the judges' stand at New Orleans occasionally.

—When Hiram Woodruff died a subscription paper was circulated among the road drivers and nearly $10,000 was raised for his widow.

—A horse fourteen hands two inches high named Pegasus cleared a seven foot bar, in a fifty foot diameter ring at Dalston, England.

—Charlie Kendrick offers to match his sorrel to a road wagon for any reasonable amount against any horse that has no record better than 2.59, owners to drive.

—The first annual sale of yearlings from A. J. Cassatt's Chesterbrook Stud will be held at Jerome Park on April 21. The lot to be offered for sale comprises sixteen head.

—Ed. De Cernea has sold to Mr. E. Bowne, of Flushing L. I., the 7-year-old brown stallion Young Independent, by Chester Chief, dam by a son of Willis' Harry Clay, for $1500.

—Suffolk Course is entitled to the "blue ribbon." It started and ended with good and "square" trotting last year. It should have served as an example for Point Breeze and Belmont.

—At the spring meeting a race for road horses to wagons should be gotten up, with owners or non-professionals to drive. It would make an interesting race and attract a great many persons.

—Ed. Corrigan has divided his stable, placing a number of his horses for training in the hands of John Rodegap, former trainer for the Hopedale stable, and the remainder in charge of Abe Perry.

—As a rule, the drivers located at New York, do their work on the uptown roads, especially on Jerome avenue. There John Murphy speeds Kenilworth and a lot of good ones given him to level on.

—"Whitey," a Canadian pony, familiar to the inhabitants of Norristown, Pa., as the property of Major D. Hartranft, was shot recently on account of old age. "Whitey" was 32 years old. The Major purchased him when a 5-year-old.

—James Golden will have the following horses this year: Bonita, the California mare, 2.18¼; DeBarry, 2.19¼; Mill Boy, 2.26, Almont Eagle, 2.27; a full brother of Piedmont, 2.17¼; also Gilroy, by Messenger Duroc, a Wedgewood colt and a mare by Messenger Chief.

—A marked change for the better in the condition of the thoroughbreds is reported from the Memphis track, and it is now generally believed that the distemper or whatever it was, has run its course. Jim Gray is said to be steadily improving, and other ailing animals are on the recuperating list.

—The proprietors of the race-courses should make it a rule for gentlemen when driving on the track during an afternoon to go one way of the course, and not for some to go the reverse way. This would save serious accidents, as many persons do not understand the customary rules of track-driving.

—There is a strange mortality among the choice horses in Kentucky. On the 231 a brood mare belonging to Hon. James H. Mulligan, by War Dance, and in foal to Leonatus, died. Five thousand dollars has been refused for her. In King Ban, Herr Wilkes and the War Dance mare $50,000 worth of horseflesh was lost.

—The Illinois State Fair Association offers this inducement to breeders: "To the owner of the sire whose get shall make the best average performance in the races for trotting foals, $500, and the grand gold medal of the Illinois State Board of Agriculture, the actual cost of which shall be $200. The title of which medal shall be successfully defended at the Illinois State Fair for two successful years."

—If any faith can be placed in reported interviews with Messrs. Brown, Corrigan and Pulsiffer their stables must be in a terribly bad way. Captain Brown is made to say that Troubadour has developed a splint, that Blue Wing has not come up to expectations, and that Bob Fisher is not horse enough to win the Suburban. In the face of this the latter has been strongly backed for the event during the past few days, and is now down to twenty to one in Cridge's book. The Kentucky Derby Captain Brown has little hope of winning. Duke of Bourton has been complaining, and Rightaway is far from well.

—The St. Paul and Minneapolis Twin City Driving and Jockey Club offers the following stake purses to be trotted for on the Minnesota State Fair Grounds during the summer meeting, June 30, July 1, 2 and 4, 1887; Purse $2000, for the 3.00 class; entrance $200, one-third payable May 2, when entries close; one-third June 1, when the horses must be named; one-third two days before the day of the race. Purse $2500, for the 3.00 class; entrance, $250. Purse $2000, for the 2.18 class; entrance, $300. Condition for the 2.30 and 2.18 classes same as for 3.00 class. A failure to make a payments as required will be considered a withdrawal from the stakes and a forfeiture of previous payments.

FARM NOTES.

IT PAYS TO GROW THE BEST.—Will it pay to raise anything but the best? Does it pay to go on year after year cultivating and using inferior fruits when it is just as easy and much more profitable to raise the best? The best is good enough for any one, and nothing but the best is good enough. In saying the best we mean the best the climate, the soil and the circumstances surrounding one will enable one to raise. The fruit that will be the best for one may not be the best for another; there is, in other words, no absolute best—one that in all places and all circumstances is the best—but there is something better in all classes of fruits than the varieties our fathers raised. Especially is this true of apples, currants and berries. In some States varieties were grown years ago that, unless a boy's love for apples has deceived us, have not been excelled; but these are few in number and limited in area. In the newer States of the Mississippi Valley new fruits adapted to the conditions of climate and soil had to be found. Many of the standard sorts could not be grown with success, and new varieties were introduced. It goes without saying that the varieties have been improved wonderfully in the years of trial. He who clings to the old sorts is making a serious mistake. In currants there is such an improvement that the old sorts and the new ones are like entirely different fruits. The improvement is not only in size but in bearing qualities and flavor of the berry. Currants are so cheap that no one should cling to the old sorts simply because he has them. The new ones should be set, and, when grown, take the place of the old ones. This is also true of mose of the berries. In the raspberrits there is no comparison between the new and old sorts. There is no reason why any one should not have all the fruit he wants in the gadren, and in sufficient variety and quantity to last the season through, and that of the best varieties raised.

DOMESTIC animals, especially growing stock, do not thrive without a copious supply of light. Fattening stock put on plenty of weight in darkness, but this is not thrift; it is cruelty, and their flesh is not fit for human consumption. Cleanliness may be observed (1) by keeping the stalls clean, and (2) by cleaning the animals themselves. Animals breathe, as it were, through the pores of the skin, as well as by means of the lungs. Dirt stops up these pores and throws greater burdens upon the lungs, promoting disease and acting prejudically to the products as food for human consumption. There should be free and constant communication between the air and the pores, which is prevented by dirt on the skin, and for this reason also the air in the stables should be pure.

THE new process of sugar making, as shown by experiments at Fort Scott, Kan., by Professor Wiley, of the Agricultural Bureau, points to the more profitable making of cane and even sorghum. The extraction of the sweet from cane or sorghum or beets has been by squeezing under pressure. The new way is called the diffusion process, and consists in soaking out the saccharine matter. The average yield of juice by the pressure process is from 56 to 61 per cent. of the whole. By the best appliances from 70 to 80 per cent. has been obtained. By the diffusion process it is claimed that 90 to 95 per cent. of all the juice can be extracted, and that in a much better condition.

THE freezing point, and even up to 40° Fahrenheit, is too low for milch cows standing quietly in their stalls, if they are expected to do their best in the way of milk production. A range from 45° to 60° gives about the right average and is wide enough. Experiment has shown that at a lower temperature they begin to shiver, and at a higher they begin to pant in winter. They endure a much higher temperature in summer, and this is the time they turn out the most milk. Doubtless they would stand a higher temperature in winter if used to it from the beginning, but with the ordinary ventilation of stables it is doubtful if a higher temperature would be healthful.

IT IS more economical to feed a variety, especially to growing stock, which demand more nitrogen and the phosphates than do those more matured, as the first must not only renew waste but add to the flesh and bone, while the adult is required only to renew waste. An adult animal, therefore voids the excess of nitrogenous material, and as a consequence the manure from a mature animal is more valuable than that from one which has not completed growth. An adult animal also fattens at a less cost; therefore, as but a small proportion of nitrogen is required, the mode of feeding depends upon the age and the object desired to be obtained.

THE great ranche of L. J. Rose, at Los Angeles, Cal., embracing in all about 1950 acres of land, largely planted with grapevines and orange trees, has been conveyed to an Englishman for the sum of $1,037,500. It is expected to pass into the hands of a company, of which the capital stock will be $3,000,000.

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HOROSCOPES.—Kosciusko Murphy—"I say, Gus, do you believe in horoscopes?"

Gus De Smith—"No, I believe it is all nonsense about horoscopes."

Murphy—"Well, I don't. I am satisfied that all the girls to whom I have been engaged were born under the influence of the crab, for they all go back on me."

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LIVER DISEASE.

MRS. I. V. WEBBER, of *Yorkshire, Cattaraugus Co., N. Y.*, writes: "I wish to say a few words in praise of your 'Golden Medical Discovery' and 'Pleasant Purgative Pellets.' For five years previous to taking them I was a great sufferer; I had a severe pain in my right side continually; was unable to do my own work. I am happy to say I am now well and strong, thanks to your medicines."

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GENERAL DEBILITY.

MRS. PARMELIA BRUNDAGE, of *161 Lock Street, Lockport, N. Y.* writes: "I was troubled with chills, nervous and general debility, with frequent sore throat, and my mouth was badly cankered. My liver was inactive, and I suffered much from dyspepsia. I am pleased to say that your 'Golden Medical Discovery' and 'Pellets' have cured me of all these ailments and I cannot say enough in their praise. I must also say a word in reference to your 'Favorite Prescription,' as it has proven itself a most excellent medicine for weak females. It has been used in my family with excellent results."

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HIP-JOINT DISEASE.

MRS. IDA M. STRONG, of *Ainsworth, Ind.*, writes: "My little boy had been troubled with hip-joint disease for two years. When he commenced the use of your 'Golden Medical Discovery' and 'Pellets,' he was confined to his bed, and could not be moved without suffering great pain. But now, thanks to your 'Discovery,' he is able to be up all the time, and can walk with the help of crutches. He does not suffer any pain, and can eat and sleep as well as any one. It has only been about three months since he commenced using your medicine. I cannot find words with which to express my gratitude for the benefit he has received through you."

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Consumption.—MRS. EDWARD NEWTON, of *Harrowsmith, Ont.*, writes: "You will ever be praised by me for the remarkable cure in my case. I was so reduced that my friends had all given me up, and I had also been given up by two doctors. I then went to the best doctor in these parts. He told me that medicine was only a punishment in my case, and would not undertake to treat me. He said I might try Cod liver oil if I liked, as that was the only thing that could possibly have any curative power over consumption so far advanced. I tried the Cod liver oil as a last treatment, but I was so weak I could not keep it on my stomach. My husband, not feeling satisfied to give me up yet, though he had bought for me everything he saw advertised for my complaint, procured a quantity of your 'Golden Medical Discovery.' I took only four bottles, and, to the surprise of everybody, am to-day doing my own work, and am entirely free from that terrible cough which harrassed me night and day. I have been afflicted with rheumatism for a number of years, and now feel so much better that I believe, with a continuation of your 'Golden Medical Discovery,' I will be restored to perfect health. I would say to those who are falling a prey to that terrible disease consumption, do not do as I did, take everything else first; but take the 'Golden Medical Discovery' in the early stages of the disease, and thereby save a great deal of suffering and be restored to health at once. Any person who is still in doubt, need but write me, inclosing a stamped, self-addressed envelope for reply, when the foregoing statement will be fully substantiated by me."

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WASTED TO A SKELETON.

Ulcer Cured.—ISAAC E. DOWNS, Esq., of *Spring Valley, Rockland Co., N. Y.* (P. O. Box 28), writes: "The 'Golden Medical Discovery' has cured my daughter of a very bad ulcer located on the thigh. After trying almost everything without success, we procured three bottles of your 'Discovery,' which healed it up perfectly." Mr. Downs continues:

Consumption and Heart Disease.—"I also wish to thank you for the remarkable cure you have effected in my case. For three years I had suffered from that terrible disease, consumption, and heart disease. Before consulting you I had wasted away to a skeleton; could not sleep nor rest, and many times wished to die to be out of my misery. I then consulted you, and you told me you had hopes of curing me, but it would take time. I took five months' treatment in all. The first two months I was almost discouraged; could not perceive any favorable symptoms, but the third month I began to pick up in flesh and strength. I cannot now recite how, step by step, the signs and realities of returning health gradually but surely developed themselves. To-day I tip the scales at one hundred and sixty, and am well and strong."

Our principal reliance in curing Mr. Downs' terrible disease was the "Golden Medical Discovery."

BLEEDING FROM LUNGS.

JOSEPH F. MCFARLAND, Esq., *Athens, La.*, writes: "My wife had frequent bleeding from the lungs before she commenced using your 'Golden Medical Discovery.' She has not had any since its use. For some six months she has been feeling so well that she has discontinued it."

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EPHEMERAL FATHERS.—An estimable lady of the west side has had the fortune of three husbands—two having passed over to the majority. By the first husband there is a son; by the second a very bright little daughter. One day, while some lady friends were lunching with the mother, the little girl asked:

"Mamma, has Jack a papa in Heaven?"

"Yes, darling; hush!" replied mamma.

"Have I a papa in heaven?"

"Yes, darling; hush!" repeated mamma.

After a pause and profound thinking the little miss added:

"Papas don't last long, do they, mamma?"

CREATING A MARKET.—There is a little grocery up Grand River avenue, and the proprietor employs a boy and a pail of paint and a brush, and the following illustrated incident happens about once an hour all day long.

Proprietor: "William, have you given the telegraph pole, hitching post and front door a fresh coat of paint?"

Boy: "Just finished, sir."

"Very well, William. Ah, there is a misguided man slanting up against the telegraph pole as he talks. Go out to him, William."

Boy to misguided man: "Say, your coat is all paint."

Misguided: "What! Paint! Why, this infernal pole has covered me all over."

"Yes, sir."

"Hang it, what shall I do?"

"Come into the store, sir. We have the only soap warranted to remove paint without injury to the goods—14 cents a cake—two cakes for 25 cents."

WAS JUST LIKE THE REVOLUTION.—A boy of 11 who has been reading the "Boys of '76," asked his mother one Saturday morning if there were going to be many errands for him to do during the day.

"Yes," she replied, "you must go to A—'s this morning."

"But there won't be nothing to do this afternoon?"

"I'm afraid there will; and if there is you know it would be very bad for you to complain. Just think how much your father and mother do for you."

"I know it, but I think I might have half of Saturday to play. It's just like the revolution; it's taxation without representation."

A MOTHER gave her little boy two bright, new pennies and asked him what he was going to do with them. After a moment's thought the child replied:

"I am going to give one to the missionaries and with the other I am going to buy a stick of candy."

After awhile he returned from his play and told his mother that he lost one of the pennies.

"Which did you lose?" she asked.

"I lost the missionary penny," he promptly replied. How many grown people are like that little boy!

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THE CENTRE REPORTER.

FRED. KURTZ, EDITOR and PROP'R

CENTRE HALL, PA., APRIL 6, 1887.

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We wish to announce to our many customers in Penns Valley that we are daily receiving new goods. The Spring Styles are out and we are getting them early in the season. Come along and see the New Styles.

FISH! FISH! FISH! FISH!
FISH! FISH! FISH! FISH!

We have just receivee a large lot of Fish, and are sending them out at astonishing low figures. We ask all to come and examine goods and prices.

W. H. BARTHOLOMEW.
Centre Hall.

INSIDE PAGES.

We would call the attention of our readers to the inside pages of the REPORTER which contain excellent reading matter, of interest to all. Over three columns are devoted to the "News of the Week" in which all the happenings of importance are chronicled in tangible form. One colum of "Fashion Notes" giving valuable suggestions to the ladies. "Horse Notes," "Farm Notes," etc., also an entire page devoted to sacred literature. On this page will be found each week a sermon by Dr. Talmage, and two colums devoted to the study of the Sunday school lesson for the coming Sabbath Dr. Talmage is one of the leading divines of the day, and his sermons, which are packed with rich truths, culled from the Scriptures, are read over the entire land.

LOCAL ITEMS.

——Candidates can get a few valuable "pointers" by calling at this office.

——Mr. James Ruble flitted to town on Monday, and occupies the house vacated by Arthur Kerlin.

——Will Shirk moved the shop vacated by McCormick Bros., to his lot on Monday, where it is to be used as a meat market.

——Mr. Henry Meyer, one of Linden Hall's old and respected residenters, is able to be about again, having recently been quite ill.

——Dr. Jacobs has a bevy of carpenters at work on his lot putting up a building for a hennery, and is going to raise chickens on a large scale.

——Mr. Philip Dale, who has been engaged in lumbering at Spring Mills for several years, moved back to his farm near Lemont where he will follow agricultural pursuits.

——Station agent Katherman and family left this week for Mifflinburg, to attend his sister's wedding. Mr. G. A. Stover, of Coburn, is overseeing the station while Arb is away.

——Mr. Archey, the mercantile appraiser, is now at his work, and gave us a call. He is a competent person for the work, and quite a pleasant and intelligent gentleman.

——Mr. Joe Markle, working on Huyett's lumber job, had one of his feet badly crushed a few days ago, by a wagon laden with lumber passing over it. The mishap was very painful and will disable him for a time.

——Sunday last was the first real spring like day for this season. The day was bright and the sunshine was mild and pleasant. The bees embraced the opportunity and held a buzzing concert on a budding tree near our office.

—Henry Rover, of Rebersburg, has now closed his 91 year. He is an old Democratic patriarch, and in fair health yet. He attends church regularly Sundays, and is able to stroll around Rebersburg to chat with neighbors. May many years be in store for him yet.

——The Presbyterians are again agitating the building of a church in this place. Hope they will, as it will, no doubt, be a handsome one, those people being so able for it. It would be quite an addition to our town, and there is material enough for a fine congregation.

——Cyrus Brumgard, of Wolf's Store, is improving from the trouble in his face caused by a cut while being shaved David Finkle, of Gregg, is on a fair way to get well from the operation upon a large tumor on one of his thighs. Jerry, Eckinroth, of Pleasant Gap, has had a backset and is quite ill again.

——The grain fields in many parts of Brushvalley do not have a promising appearance. The same may be said of many of the fields in Pennsvalley, especially in Potter, Harris and Ferguson. Farmers who had a short crop last year, will find it doubly severe to be visited with a failure this year.

——Michael Derstine, who served 17 years as superintendent of the Lutheran Sabbath school, of this place, at the annual election on last Monday evening, insisted upon being excused to serve longer, preferring to labor in the school in the capacity of a teacher. The school has prospered under his care, and his interest in the work of the cause was earnest and sincere. D F. Luse was elected to succeed Mr. Derstine.

——The principal shipments from Centre Hall are lumber and flour. The shipments of flour have doubled within the last three months. The Calla Lilly brand of flour, made by the roller mill at this place, is so excellent an article, that the demand for it has extended to all towns in Central Penn'a. It ranks among the best roller straight grades in the United States, and Centre Hall need not feel ashamed of it.

About Printers' Bills.

GIVING 'EM WHAT WAS CALLED FOR.

Extorting from Potter Twp. — Attempt to Swindle the County.

It was observed by all in the last three weeks that the REPORTER has been accused of wrong, by parties here, via the Gazette, as charging Potter twp. $15 for advertising the financial statement, and have been asked to explain. Below we give an explanation that will "explain", and as we go along and fire a little hot shot from official figures, among a flock of little foul birds just watch and see 'em drop. Remember, unprovoked we have been falsely accused and defied to explain and quietly let the accusation go up to this time.

It is an absolute falsehood that we were charging the township $15 for advertising the financial statement, altho' that would not be too high according to average rates all over the country. But, we were offered by the township, and accepted it, $15 each year, to print the different tickets, four sets, (two sets for each precinct, 2 sets before division), advertise the call for annual audit and advertise the financial statement—six items—for $15, which was cheap, as our work always is. The fellows who put out a contrary impression knew they lied and lied purposely hoping to do us injury, a work they have been engaged in quite a while. Proof—our day-book shows the above to be a correct statement, and our bills on file with the township auditors bear it out. See both or either.

Chap. 2. Out of an unfriendly feeling towards us, and listening to mischief makers' advice, for which we gave no cause, the statement for Potter tp. last year, was not advertised in the Reporter, but, without notice to us, it was concluded to print it in poster form, and now here is what the statement just put out shows was paid for this job, and as we also understand it from the senior auditor: By cash paid C. Deininger for printing for twp. $7,00

For printing the financial statement in that form and size, our price would not have been over $2. Now we will prove this: our books show that we did this kind of work for Gregg township, and here is what our day-book shows:

1881. Mar. 17. Gregg twp, cash p'd F. Kurtz, pr. aud. report $2,00
1882. Mar. 27, do do 3,25

The Gregg report of '82 at $3,25 pr. by us was over double the size of the one printed by Deininger, for Potter tp., as we understand at $7.

Then we come to the boro': our bill for printing tickets for '86 and '87 is $1,75 and Deininger for same years $3. We make these references simply because liars about us have challenged us and yet endorse in others that of which they falsely accuse us. There is no escape for the wrong done us, or excuse, for there are our bills before the Auditors.

Chap. 3. We have it straight that an attempt was made to swindle the county out of $18 in the matter of circulating the financial statement. A circulation of 1200 or 1400 was claimed, at 3 cts. per copy, and when the county officials cornered the party on it they dropped 6 or 800 at once to get out of a scrape. Bah! and it wasn't the Reporter, and it wasn't any Bellefonte paper.

Then, again, a bill for $25 was sent to the Chairman of the Dem. Co. Committee for services, and refused payment because no services were rendered or ordered to be rendered. It wasn't the Reporter that did this; but, on other hand, the Reporter for over 25 years did valuable service for the Dem. Co. Committee and never sent in a bill for a single cent.

Again, a bill for $25 has been sent in to Dem. co. officers, for support, yet it is notorious that the chap and his standbys tried to elect somebody else. It wasn't the Reporter, for, as we have shown, it charges low and fair prices, as we have proved. This persecution against us is all bred by a little pack of low curs to whom an honest, upright and always consistent paper like the Reporter is an obstacle to bad schemes for themselves. They can be counted on the fingers of one hand. Their conduct to blast our stainless character and ruin us in our legitimate business, runs over a period of several years, a foul conspiracy which we have repeatedly been urged to prosecute criminally, by volunteer counsel, but our good nature still keeps up, only on this occasion, the fellows asked us for some remarks. We shan't look for or heed an encore until trout fishing is over, as the speckled beauties are entitled to some of our distinguished attention, and should bad luck and wet breeches put us out of humor, we would be in better frame of mind to give these moral lepers a dose.

JOHN DELONG.

The noted John Delong, of Sugar Valley, this county, was in the city Friday. Mr. D. is in his 95th year, but to look at him one would suppose him not more than about 60. He can read without spectacles, has his third set of natural teeth, it is said, and is actively engaged in selling agricultural implements. Go away, Emperor William. Where are you now?

Mr. Delong has been a noted man for many years, his great age rendering him a genuine curiosity. Ex Governor Curtin a few years ago went a good distance out of his way just to see him. It is an actual fact that he is in the 95th year of his age.—Clinton Democrat.

The above is all true, for we can prove by going back some six years to the REPORTER files that Mr. Delong was 95 years old, and we had it direct from the old gentleman.

"ROCHESTER CLOTHING."

You no doubt have heard of this famous brand of clothing. Mr. M. Fauble formerly with S. & A. Loeb, and with whom many of our readers are acquainted, has opened a clothing house in Bellefonte, and makes this brand a specialty. He keeps a full line of furnishing goods for men and boys. Remember his stock is entirely new and everything has the price plainly marked on it.

BARGAINS FOR ALL.

Frank's Great Novelty Store has resumed business at the South East corner of Allegheny and Bishop streets, Bellefonte. Bargains for all.

——Knee pants from 25c up to the best. LYON & Co.

——Children's suits, $1.25 to $1.50 and up. LYON & Co.

——Men's suits, $3.75 and up. LYON & Co.

——Men's black diagonal suits, $7.50 and up. LYON & Co.

——French and English sateens, crinkled seersuckers in dark and light colors. LYON & Co.

KILLED AT TYRONE.

Wm. Rote, an engineer on the Tyrone and Clearfield railroad, came to his death on Thursday morning in a very peculiar manner. On his first return trip and when taking on coal in the Tyrone yard from the coal centre, some of the coal covered the tool box and in attempting to remove the same, he made a misstep and fell from the tender, striking his head on the rail of the opposite track, injuring his brain, from the effects of which he died in about an hour's time after the accident.

He was born at Buffalo Run, and was about 45 years of age. He was married to Amanda Corman about 16 years ago and leaves a wife and six children, one child having died.

The body was brought to Bellefonte on the 9.32 train on Friday morning. The funeral took place on Sunday.

THE GHOSTS.

A writer from Pine Creek, near Aaronsburg, states that they used to have a spook there too, years ago, near Winkelblech's, where it would come out of a certain field to the road at night, and frighten passers by. It was in the shape of some four footed animal. We remember this fact equally as well as the ones related in last week's REPORTER.

What we mentioned in our article on spooks, last week, relative to a teamster having been run over by his wagon and killed, is true. The dead man was picked up on the road by Mr. Michael Hess, father of Samuel Hess, of near Pinegrove Mills, who was an early settler, and lived in that section of Haines township. Mr. Hess took the corpse of the man to Aaronsburg in his sleigh. Mrs. Hes was with her husband at the time

NEW TAILORING ESTABLISHMENT.

Mr. W. I. Fleming has opened a new tailoring establishment in the room formerly occupied by C. Dale, next door to First National Bank, Bellefonte. Mr. Fleming is a first-class tailor and has had years of experience. He opens up in new rooms, has a new stock of goods for spring and summer, and is prepared to cut and fit them in the latest styles, Mr Fleming offers special inducements to trade from this section of the county. Young men wanting a fine wedding suit or anything in the line of first class tailoring will find it to their advantage to call on Mr. Fleming as he guarantees a good fit, and reasonable prices.

NEW STORE.

The store at the old Stone Mill stand is about to be re-opened. Mr. A. S. Kerlin, on Monday, will go to Philadelphia for a stock of general merchandise, such as will supply every want of that section, and the goods will be on shortly. The store will be under the management of Arthur Kerlin, who is a trust-worthy young man, and will be pleased to have all his old friends, as well as all new ones, call and see him, before as well as after the opening of the store. Goods will be offered at the lowest possible margins, and the highest prices paid for all kinds of produce, and no pains spared to render the utmost satisfaction.

——Buy "Rochester Clothing" at Fauble's.

——Wm. Bitner, of Tusseyville, gave us a call.

——Boy's school suits, $2.50 and up at Lyon & Co.

——Read Harry Schroyers, card in another column. It is of interest to all housekeepers.

——Men's working shoes as low as 85c and better goods at slightly higher prices. LYON & Co.

——Oil-cloths, every pattern and width a new and beautiful stock, at S. & A. Loebs, and very low in price.

——All kinds of house furnishing goods, best assortment ever brought to Centre county, and at a bargain, at S. & A. Loebs.

——Old stock, Revolutionary prices, can not be found at Fauble's clothing house, Bellefonte, as their stock is entirely new and at bottom prices.

——We are glad to hear that our friend Cyrus Brumgart, of Miles, is rapidly improving under the care of Dr. Bright and expects to be able to be about in a week or more.

——Our late townsman, Arthur Kerlin, will soon make business hum at the old Stone Mill store stand, which is again to be opened for business. Success to you, Arthur.

——A cow of John Rishel, of near Bellefonte gave birth to a monster calf, one day last week, which weighed 131 pounds immediately after. This is a rare instance, and hard to match.

——Jno. T. Lee will not erect a coach shop this summer, as contemplated, and his services are found valuable enough to secure him steady employment in one of the Bellefonte carriage shops.

——Our townsman, A. S. Kerlin, returned from his western trip, on Tuesday, after an absence of about ten weeks to Minnesota and some of the western country. He gained 25 pounds in his trip.

——Go to Loebs, if you want to see the finest lot of dry goods in Central Penn'a. All the latest and most handsome styles—assortment complete, and can suit any taste. A special bargain offered in handsome dress goods at Loebs.

——Register James A. McClain last week granted a license to an odd couple hailing from Philipsburg, it being for the marriage of a colored man to a white girl. This is the first license of the kind granted in the county, since the law went into effect.

——Do you know that spring goods of all description are being unpacked at Dale's store, Centre Hall? They sell goods at low figures and small profits. New styles for spring and summer in all kinds of dress goods. Come and see our stock and prices.

——The Presbytery of Huntingdon with which the Presbyterian churches in our valley are connected, will meet this year in Hollidaysburg, on the 12th inst. This Presbytery numbers 54 ministers, 3 licentates, 72 churches, and 9585 members, and contributed last year for the substentation and spread of the gospel at home and abroad the sum of $96,-610.

——On last Wednesday, Mrs. Lizzie Forster, of Mifflinburg, widow of Major Wm. R. Forster, made a very narrow escape from being burned to death. While seated near a stove a spark ignited her clothing and spread rapidly. She screamed for help and several men came and succeeded in smothering the fire by wrapping the unfortunate woman in carpet. Her back, arms and neck were severely burned.

A NEW CHURCH.

We are told that the members of the Presbyterian congregation of this place expect to build a church this coming summer. Almost $2000 dollars have been subscribed for this purpose, with prospects for more. If they build they will select a site on Main st. near the station. We hope our Presbyterian brethern will receive many liberal contributions for this purpose and enable them to erect a house of worship that will be a credit to them and add to the appearance of the town.

——Hats, caps, boots and shoes, at S. & A. Loebs, new stock and very low.

— Carpets of every grade, style and price, an entire new stock, largest and handsomest in the county, at S. & A. Loebs.

CHAPLAIN BRIGHT ARRESTED.

Topeka, Kan., March 5.—At the close of the legislative proceedings to day Chaplain Bright was taken by surprise by being arrested and brought before the bar of the house, when Dr. York, of Rawlins county, in a neat speech presented him with an elegant gold watch. The chaplain, though taken entirely off his guard, was equal to the occasion and replied to the presentation in one of the happiest efforts of his life.

——Men's plow shoes, $1 15, $1.25, $1.50, $1.75 up to the best. LYON & Co.

——The largest stock of dress goods, clothing, boots and shoes, ever brought to Bellefonte. LYON & Co.

——For all wool cheviot checks and silk mixed cloths, of the best quality, at the lowest price, you will find Lyon & Co., just the place.

LINDEN HALL.

Master Eugene Hines, of Osceola, is visiting his grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Hess.—Miss Ida Carson, of Centre Hill, is visiting at Henry Meyer's, Sr.—Prof. Thomas Stine, of Lebanon county, made a flying business trip to our town last week.—The citizens in and around Linden Hall, are all glad and now feel certain that the backbone of a long and severe winter is broken, and that spring is here again with its pleasant moonlight nights, which are far more pleasant than in the dead of winter.—J. H. Ross has received a fine lot of new Oliver Chilled plows, and will keep a full line of repairs for same. DUDE.

——For tricotes, ottomens and canvass cloths in all colors, visit Lyon & Co.

——For summer silks, satin shadimaes, silk pargoes and China silk, go to Lyon & Co.

——For black silk and moire and striped velvet to match all colored dress goods, be sure to call on Lyon & Co.

SPRING MILLS.

Dr. Runkle, of Jefferson Medical College, is home and will remain for the summer.

R. F. Fetterolf, attending Gettysburg College, is home with his parents on his Easter vacation.

John Swarm, our enterprising cabinetmaker, is agent for western wagons. Call to see him before buying elsewhere.

Mr. G. A. Rank has been doing some repairing to his hotel in the way of an iron roof, put on by A. Reesman, of Centre Hall.

Maggie Hanna is the guest of Susie Miller.

The new host and hostess of the Spring Mills hotel have arrived, a party in whom our people can feel assured to give satisfaction to all.

James Runkle is spending his vacation visiting relatives at Bellefonte and Buffalo Run.

James D. Wilson, of New York, and John Wilson, of Tyrone, are visiting the old homestead.

The Sunday schools held their annual elections, and elected competent officers, but it seems some though competent in one respect, do not think themselves so in others, although the words of their own mouth, yet belonging to a church for a few years and ample time to prepare to fill the less important office when it is his daily labor.

There were twenty movings in town this spring.

—Cyrus Durst, one of Harris tp's best farmers, gave us a call.

—M. C. Stover, of Farmer's Mills, gave the Reporter a call.

—The rain which set in on Monday afternoon was a welcome visitor.

—As for the last two years, advance paying subscribers get the Reporter 15 months for $2, or 12 months for $1,50, just as you prefer.

—A Republican says he likes the Reporter because it is not afraid to speak out and say where it stands, and not half one thing and half another and "nothin of either" as he expressed it.

Millheim is troubled with the measles.

Quarterly conference at Madisonburg to begin Saturday, 9; Lord's Supper on Sabbath evening. Rev. Pines, P. E., will be present.

Our friend Sober rejoices over the prospect of the recovery of his favorite dog, from a malicious shot.

Rhode Island elected a Democratic governor by 1500 majority.

——Spring styles in summer goods fo suits have been opened at S. U. Thompson's Bellefonte.

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A CARD TO THE PUBLIC.

We have now on hand our full line of spring and summer cassimères for merchant tailoring, which we are prepared to manufacture into suits at very low prices. We have secured the valuable services of Mr. Jackson, the well known Bee-Hive cutter. He needs no special recommendation, as he has been known here for 14 years or more. We are determined not to be undersold and guarantee all goods to fit or no sale. We claim nothing beyond the fact that we give perfect satisfaction to all who deal with us. Give us a call and be convinced,

Yours truly,
SAMUEL LEWIN.

P. S. Call and see our ready made clothing. Children's suits from $1 00 to $5.50, good, all wool goods. Men's suits in proportionate prices. Be sure to give us a call. S. LEWIN.

——A. P. Wieland is the name of the new clerk in Wolf's store.

——Horse collars from $1 on up at D. A. Boozer's harness shop, Centre Hall.

——Our town welcomes Mr. John Dauberman as one of its new citizens.

——The trout season opens on the 15th of this month and closes the 15th of July.

——Butter is getting scarce in the stores since the cream goes to the creamery.

——Lemuel H. Osman, of State College, has been allowed an increase of pension.

——We learn that David Finkle, of Gregg, is quite low from the effects of the operation performed.

——J. D. Long, Spring Mills, keeps always on hand, the celebrated Calla Lilly flour. Try it.

——"Rochester Clothing," at M. Fauble's new clothing store. Bellefonte. Standard goods.

——Millheim is said to be threatened with empty houses. Centre Hall has not got houses enough.

— Decency and respect for ourselves and strangers require that a walk should be made to the station.

——Gov. Beaver has appointed the 22nd of April as Arbor Day, and urges the observance of the same.

——Theodore Gordon, of Bellefonte, died on Monday, aged 44 years. His death was caused by paralysis.

——Some can't understand the meaning of the fractions ⅞ and ½. When we give the explanation it will be rich.

——The warm rain on Monday was a triumph for the sons of Erin—all nature will now be a "wearing of the green."

——Subscribe for the REPORTER, it is Democratic all the year, and not just at about 11.50 when the bell rings for dinner.

—Tuesday brought a change in the weather, from spring to cold and raw winter, with snowflakes flying in the air.

——Democrats, look out for those who are seeking to disorganize the party by going in cahoot with Republicans. They are bought.

—— Do you expect to buy a new carpet? Schroyer's carpet store, Bellefonte make a specialty of this kind of goods. See card in another column.

—— Some didn't understand ⅞ and ½—well as long as no one is hurt, (?) no difference. When called to explain, you will hear something drop.

——Mr. Harry Schroyer has opened a carpet store in Bellefonte, where a complete line of carpets in all grades, mattings, floor cloths, etc., can be found.

— Protect your horse's shoulders from sores and blisters by using good collars only on them. D. A. Boozer keeps a complete assortment and at all prices.

——A full line of ready-made clothing for spring and summer, for men and boys, all prices, and latest styles—bargains and satisfaction guaranteed, at S. & A. Loebs.

——Wm. McCormick, of Potters Mills, we regret to learn is again seriously ill. Drs. Van Valzah and Clemens think he is suffering from small tumors in the intestines or stomach.

——Michael Hazel, a young man living near Bellefonte, monkeyed around a dynamite cartridge with a match one day last week and now he carries a shattered hand around in a sling.

— Bellefonte's Hook and Ladder co. has taken "Cornet" for the name of their new truck. Very appropriate indeed. Centre Hall Hook and Ladder company has a splendid name, which will be given when we get our truck.

— We hear that the Penn'a Railroad Company is trying to complete a bargain with the Longs for the purchase of the Cave, hotel building, and adjoining land. If the cave becomes the property of the railroad company, we expect to see a branch built from Spring Mills to that place.

——Mr. John Fortney died of consumption at his home in Tyrone on Sunday. He lived at Boalsburg a few years ago where he carried on a tailoring establishment. He was a brother of D. F. Fortney, Esq., Bellefonte, and Prof. G. W. Fortney, formerly of this place. His remains were taken to Pine Grove, this county, for interment on Tuesday, 5th. He was about 54 years old

——One of Centre Hall's young men is about to seek the genial clime of Somerset county and end his days of single blessedness there next week, where one of the fair daughters of Berlin, Miss Crisseinger, has won him. We have reference to Mr. Will Kurtz, once a local writer on the REPORTER, son of the editor, and now manager of the Centre Hall roller flouring mills.

——The J. F. Hill & Co, $3.00 improved sewed welt shoe, the best shoe ever sold for the money. These shoes have all the merits of the Best Hand Sewed work, being as flexible to the foot. Their great advantage over the old style machine sewed shoe is their perfectly smooth innersole. No pegs, tacks or heavy seam of thread to hurt the foot and wear out stockings. They are made of the very best stock throughout, in all the leading styles of high and low shoes and every pair is warranted. Try one pair and you will wear no others. For sale by E. Graham & Son, Bellefonte.

—M. Fauble, Bellefonte, has the exclusive right for the sale of Rochester Clothing at that place. Mark that, when you want a suit.

MARRIED.

At the home of the bride's parents, March 24th, by Rev. G. E Faber, Mr. Pierce M Dornblaser and Miss Emma S. Royer, both of Nittany Valley, Pa.

On March 31, by Rev. Dr. R. Hamill, Mr. William H. Thompson, of Hutchinson, Kansas, to Miss Mary Mitchell, of Lemont, Pa.

On the 3rd inst., at the residence of J. Willis Musser, Aaronsburg, by Rev. M L. Deitzler, Mr. W. G. Urich and Miss Sallie Musser, both of Millheim.

DIED.

In Brush Valley on the 30th ult., John Jones, formerly of Lewisburg, aged 84 years, 9 months and 2 days.

On the 31st ult., at Rebersburg, an infant daughter of Austin and Abbe Gramley, at the age of 19 days.

On 1st, at Millheim, of lung fever, Elizabeth, an infant daughter of A. C. and Maggie Musser, aged 11 months and 3 days.

Mr. Henry Bogenrief, aged 73 years died at his home in Mifflinburg, on the, 1st.

ROCHESTER CLOTHING HOUSE.

Mr. M. Fauble, formerly with S. & A. Loeb, Bellefonte, has opened a new clothing house in Ammerman's Block, Bishop street, Bellefonte. Mr. Fauble makes a specialty of the celebrated "Rochester Clothing," which is considered by merchants and the public, to be the best article in ready made goods His stock has been received and is brand new in every particular. Along with clothing is a complete line of gents furnishing goods, hats, collars, shirts, underclothing, trunks, satchels, etc. Mr. Fauble invites his many friends in Penns Valley to call on him at his new stand and promises to give them better bargains than heretofore.

——Ladies' and misses' spring wraps and jackets in endless variety, at Lyon & Co.

——Calla Lilly flour, none superior. For sale by J. D. Long, Spring Mills.

WONDERFUL CURES.

W. D. Hoyt & Co., Wholesale and Retail Druggists of Rome, Ga., say: We have been selling Dr. King's New Discovery, Electric Bitters and Bucklen's Arnica Salve for two years. Have never handled remedies that sell as well, or give such universal satisfaction. There have been some wonderful cures effected by these medicines in this city. Several cases of pronounced Consumption have been entirely cured by use of a few bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery, taken in connection with Electric Bitters. We guarantee them always

Sold by all druggists.

LICENSE.—S. D. Burris, of Potter's Mills, has made application for tavern license, at April term of court.

ALL KINDS OF GRAIN,

White and red wheat, rye, shelled corn oats and barley wanted at the Centre Hall Roller Mill—for which the highest market prices will be paid. Grain taken on storage tf

NOTICE.—All persons having claims against the Centre Hall School Board, are requested to present the same to Dr. Jacobs, Secretary, within five days of this issue.

SCHROYER'S

CARPET STORE,

Bishop street, Bellefonte, Pa.

Mr. Harry Schroyer, late of J. A. Harper & Co's. store, has opened a store on Bishop St., where he has for sale the finest line of

CARPETS,
MATTINGS,
RUGS, OILCLOTHS,
WINDOW SHADES, ETC.,

ever exhibited in Bellefonte. He invites an inspection of these beautiful goods, which will challenge competition in quality and price with any to be found in the cities.

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He also makes a specialty of

CARPET CLEANING.

Having the sole right for Centre county to use the best process known.

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HARRY SCHROYER.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT FROM the date of this notice we will do a strictly cash business, and positively decline to do any more "ticking." All orders for flour, feed and coal, must be accompanied with cash or no attention will be paid to them. We will buy all kinds of grain and pay cash for same, or exchange for flour, feed and coal. KURTZ & SON.
Feb. 3 1887. Centre Hall,

MARKETS.

Wheat dropped in price, Philadelphia quotations are 91½ for red; corn mixed 47; oats 37. Creamery butter 32; eggs 16

MARKETS.

Philadelphia, Febr'y 23.—Wheat 89; Corn 46. Oats 36.

Spring Mills, Mar. 30.—Red wheat 80, mixed 75; rye 50; barley 40; oats 25; potatoes 40; creamery butter 35; roll butter 20; eggs 12; lard 6; tallow 5; hides 4 to 5; Cloverseed 5 to 8c lb. Cream 20. [Grenoble's prices.]

LINDEN HALL MARKETS,

White Wheat	$ 75	Butter	22
Red Wheat	80	Eggs	25
Rye	50	Lard	6
Oats	27	Cloverseed	4.50
Timothy	1.50		

CENTRE HALL MARKETS.

PRODUCE AT THE STORES.

Butter	22	Eggs	12
Ham	12	Sides	7
Shoulders	9	Potatoes	40
Lard	7		

GRAIN.

REPORTED WEEKLY BY KURTZ & SON.

Prices subject to fluctuations of market.

Wheat, red	$ 80	Oats	$ 28
Wheat, white	75	Rye	47
Corn, shelled	40	Barley, No. 1	36

Barley No. 2, mixed with oats, bought at oats weight and price.

Wheat mixed with Rye bought at rye weigh and price.

FLOUR AND FEED.

Fancy Pat. Flour	1 45	Bran per ton	15 00
Best Roller Flour	1 35	Bran, retail, cwt.	90
2d Best Roll'r Flour	1 25	Chop per ton	22 00
Middlings per ton	18 50	" retail per cwt	1 25

COAL MARKET.

Broken	$5.00
Egg	5.25
Stove	5.50
Small Stove	5.50
Chestnut	5.25
Pea	3.40
Woodland	4.00
Soft	2.75

The above prices are for cash or grain only.

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